

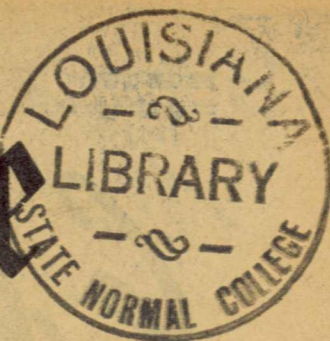
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871 Students Enroll In College

E. P. Dobson to Head Potpourri

WORK WELL UNDER WAY
ON 1943 ANNUAL

E. P. Dobson, junior pre-engineering student from Chestnut, La., will edit the 1943 Potpourri, local student annual, according to a decision rendered last spring by the faculty committee on Publications. Don Mike Stothart, sophomore of Vivian, La., will serve as business manager of the yearbook.

Dobson announced this week that work on the annual was begun several weeks ago, following a trip by him, Stothart and faculty adviser Charles Cunningham to Nashville, Tenn., where the Potpourri is printed.

Dobson's appointment as editor of the 1943 annual came late last May after the students failed to select the editor in the spring Student Body Association elections. He appointed Stothart business manager early this summer.

Both Dobson and Stothart served on the 1942 Potpourri staff, Dobson as an office assistant, and Stothart as assistant editor.

Complete plans for the 1943 yearbook were completed by the new staff in Nashville this summer and work on the annual was begun immediately upon the group's return to the campus.

The new editor and his assistants will be facing fewer financial worries this year as the fee for the annual was increased from three to four dollars per student last spring when the students themselves voted overwhelmingly in favor of such an increase.



E. P. Dobson

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday, September 17
to
Thursday, September 24

Saturday, September 19—Old Social—8:00 p. m., Theta Sigma Upsilon Party

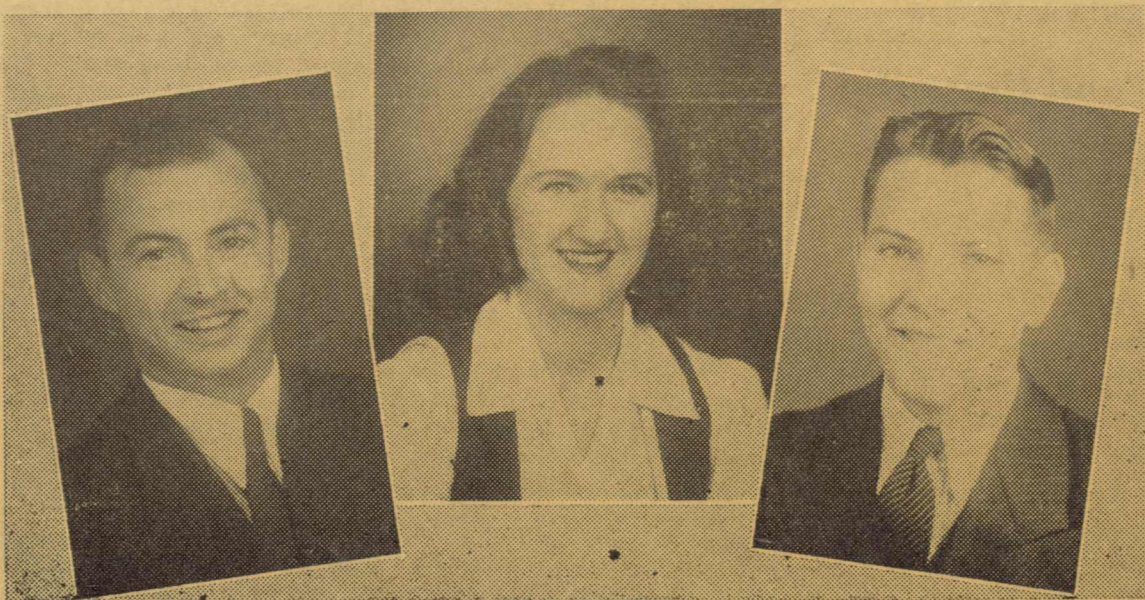
Monday, September 21—Old Social—8:00 p. m., Pi Kappa Sigma Party

Tuesday, September 22—Old Social—8:00 p. m., Alpha Sigma Alpha Party

Wednesday, September 23—Old Social—8:00 p. m., Delta Sigma Epsilon Party

Thursday, September 24—Old Social—8:00 p. m., Sigma Sigma Party.

Leading the Parade ...



... of student government at the college this year are the three students shown above. C. M. McSwain (left) is the President of the Student Body Association while Mary Katherine Griffin serves as Secretary-Treasurer and G. F. Thomas, Jr. is Vice-President. All three students were elected to their positions in the student elections held last spring.

OUR APOLOGIES ...

... and regrets for the tardiness of this issue. A smaller-than-skeleton staff and a practice-teaching editor made it necessary. We'll probably do better next week.

Sauce Staff Will Organize Monday

WORKERS BADLY NEEDED

A meeting for the purpose of organizing the staff of The Current Sauce for the 1942-43 session of the college will be held in The Current Sauce office, room 3 of Fine Arts building, Monday night at seven o'clock.

With last year's staff having been decimated by war, graduation and matrimony, all interested students are urged to attend the meeting as workers of all kinds are needed. No experience whatsoever is necessary and freshmen are especially invited to join the staff.

In addition to writers, reporters, typists and general secretarial workers are badly needed.

Workers are needed at all times and no interested student need miss a position on the staff because of the peculiarities of his class schedule. Moreover, the variety of positions available makes it possible for almost any student to work on the paper without interfering with his studies or other extra-curricular activities.

DANCE SCHEDULE

The Swing Kings, local college dance orchestra, have been engaged by the college to play regularly on three Saturday nights a month at the Student Center. On the other Saturday night they will play at an all-college formal dance.

In the event that an organization (Continued on Page 2)

New Dean Pleases College; College Pleases New Dean

Mrs. Berry Favors Student Government

Declaring herself in favor of strong student government at the college, Mrs. Iona B. Berry, new dean of women, told a Current Sauce reporter this week that she is extremely pleased with both the physical plant and the calibre of the local student body.



Mrs. Berry

No Special Train To Tech-Normal Game October 24

No special train can be run and no special rates can be offered to Normal students and Natchitoches for the Normal-Tech football game at the State Fair October 24. This is in conformity with a ruling of the Office of Defense Transportation.

A committee from the Student Council and Dr. Andrew W. Hunt investigated the matter and were given this information by the Texas and Pacific Railroad.

Decrease Is Less Than Anticipated By Observers

SEPT. 26 IS ENROLLMENT DEADLINE

Figures released late Wednesday afternoon reveal that 871 students had enrolled for the fall semester of the college proper at that time. While this represents a drop of 319 from the enrollment last fall, it is considerably above the enrollment anticipated for teachers colleges all over the country.

In Natchitoches high school, located on the college campus, 360 students have enrolled and 45 practice teachers from the college are teaching there this fall. The elementary school has an enrollment of 612 with 8 college students practice teaching there this semester.

College officials announced this week that the deadline on enrollment for full-load credit is Saturday, September 26. Any students enrolling in the college after that date will not be allowed to schedule a full load.

The decrease in enrollment was less than that anticipated. The American Association of Teachers' Colleges estimated this summer that the teachers' colleges of the nation would experience a drop of 35 per cent in enrollment this fall. The local enrollment shows a decrease of about 27 per cent from last fall's student body. However it is a decrease of only about 11 per cent from the enrollment in the college during the spring semester of 1942.

Lyceum Schedule Features Music, Lectures

FRANK BUCK, UPTON CLOSE TO APPEAR HERE

The college Lyceum Committee, in conjunction with the local Community Concerts Association will bring six outstanding artists and lecturers to the college campus this year. Another lecturer, Sir Hubert Wilkins, Far East expert, is tentatively scheduled to appear here.

John Tyre, baritone, will open this year's series of programs when he appears in the Community Concerts series October 9.

A lecturer, Krishnalal Shridharani, noted Hindu writer, will speak to a college audience November 9. He will be followed by Marcel Hubert, cellist, on January 11.

Frank Buck, noted game hunter, traveler and lecturer, will appear to local audiences on February 16.

March 11 will find Mildred Dilling, famous harpist, performing at the college. She is to be followed by Upton Close, popular radio commentator and lecturer on world affairs.

Sir Hubert Wilkins, an expert on the Far East, may come to the college next spring.

NOTICE

After this week circulation of The Current Sauce is limited to all students and to paid subscribers.

Please do not take next week's Current Sauce from the Student Center unless subscription is paid. In any event, do not take more than one copy.

Circulation Manager

Editorials and Features

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1942

"... Print the News and Raise Hell"

The editor of a nineteenth century Chicago newspaper once said, "It is the duty of a newspaper to print the news and raise hell."

Unfortunately there has arisen since that time the general feeling that newspapers, particularly college newspapers, are dedicated to the unfailing fulfillment of the second of these two duties and that the news is something which editors produce, like rabbits out of a vaudeville magician's hat, to fill the white spaces around the columns a la Walter Winchell and the blasting editorials which take to task the administration, the faculty or some segment of the student body.

Because of this feeling and because it seems logical to begin the academic year with a statement of the policies of this paper, we submit the following as a statement of the precepts which shall guide The Current Sauce for so long as it remains under the guidance of its present editorial board:

First, we believe it to be our primary duty to **print** the news. That is, to present a clear, simple and unbiased account of what has been and, especially, of what is to be on this campus.

Second, we hold that we have the right, with certain limitations and exceptions, to **interpret** the news. It seems clear that it is definitely within the scope of our obligations to the student body to comment upon the significance of the news to the students of this institution.

Third, we commit ourselves to a policy of producing **laughter**. This paper, a public enterprise, should certainly be, at least partially, a failure if it did not contribute to the recreation of its readers as well as to their enlightenment. Your editor holds himself most responsible to the students from whom his office came and whose support makes possible The Current Sauce. With this in mind, and with the feeling that laughter is and should be an important factor in the lives of this student body, we propose to generate as many smiles as possible.

Certainly if we, in fulfilling the above obligations, should discover a situation which calls for the uprooting of the foundations of the regions of the damned then we shall stir them to their very depths in the same spirit of constructive helpfulness which shall prompt our other activities. At the same time, we definitely refuse to be a party to hell-raising for its own sake—or for the sake of sensationalism. We have no desire to become known among one group as "fearless crusaders" and among others as a pack of fools.

In short, we intend to play to the best of our ability our own infinitesimal role in the strengthening of the college. We shall try to aid in maintaining perfect student-faculty relations, the amity of students and townspeople, and complete understanding between students and administration.

The above are our aims and ambitions because we believe them to be our obligations and, therefore, our path to success. Throughout the year we will be trying, and often quite unsuccessfully, to fulfill those aims and attain those ambitions. **Your judgment** will be the final answer as to whether or not we have succeeded in formulating sound guiding precepts and successfully pursuing them.

Squirrel Invades Summer School; Bites Math Profs

The first invasion of the local campus by hostile forces came during the summer session when a squirrel ran amuck, invaded the campus and routed the Department of Mathematics—or at least a goodly portion of the physical embodiment of that department.

The initial action in the Battle of Caldwell Hall, the engagement has come to be called, came when Prof. A. C. Maddox, head of the Department of Mathematics was attacked by the squirrel on a campus walk. The animal ran up Prof. Maddox's trouser leg and bit him in several places, putting him to flight.

Leaving the scene of the initial engagement, Maddox entered Caldwell Hall but his antagonist following him into the building, up two flights of stairs and into a second-floor classroom.

The second round of the battle also went to the squirrel when he attacked and bit Prof. C. G. Killen, also of the Department of Mathematics. Killen was bitten when he approached the squirrel when it attacked Miss Pearl Tramel, secretary to the Alumni and Placement office, who was severely scratched on the leg by the invader.

The squirrel also attacked and bit an unidentified student a few days after the attack on Maddox.

All victims of the animal's attacks are receiving medical treatment as a precautionary measure against rabies.

It is believed that the squirrel was formerly a pet in the classroom of Miss Laura Stillely, Supervising Teacher in the Elementary School.

Local observers report two schools of opinion as to the reason for the attacks. A more conservative group believes that the squirrel is mad whereas an opposing school of thought holds the view that the squirrel believes mathematicians to be nuts.

Incidentally, the squirrel is still at large.

DANCE— (Continued from Page 1)

tion dance is scheduled for a Saturday night, the dance band will play on Wednesday night of that week between supper hour and study hour.

Mrs. Iona Berry, Dean of Women, will designate the date for the monthly all-college formal dance; Dr. Andrew Hunt, Director of Student Welfare, will schedule all organization dances.

We Suggest---

(Ed. Note: The following is a feature which is to be regularly presented in The Current Sauce by a campus organization which prefers to remain anonymous for the time being. The organization is examining various features of school life on other campuses and will present them to the local students through these columns.)

There has been a definite trend in placing good music in the form of recorded programs at the disposal of everyone on many college campuses. A great number of colleges and universities are providing listening hours such as those given at the Union at the University of Minnesota, the University of Iowa and the University of Texas. An assistant who gives helpful explanations and often uses printed words and scores is in charge of the recorded concerts. Radios are available in these schools for group listening.

Society

By BETTY BELL

When summer totters for the fall and the school year begins, you're probably looking around for that "something new". Having found several "somethings" you start to plan afresh then discover, by heck, there's not exactly "afresh" Society Editor. Disappointed? Well, let's don't go into that 'cause I'm aware that you're aware "with every rose there is a thorn"—and nobody ever accused me of being a rose. It's a good thing I'm not the sensitive type! Anyway, glad you're back (O. K., so it ain't mutual) and here's to a Happy New Year!

Though Society isn't as yet what you'd call the life, there are a few things that have supplied it with a breath or three so we remark...

The Freshman party in the Fine Arts auditorium started things. The young 'uns from, to, and through Beauty and Beast were in there pitching, and if there's anything that fascinates and amuses it's the prettiest gal or the ugliest guy you ever saw (depending, of course, on personal taste). After all was over the Reds were winners (maybe 'cause Russians are red, but then so are fire trucks). High scores and close ones were enough to convince us that our bunch of one-one's are the ones!

The different church organizations next undertook entertaining a bit. Nice functions these were and nice it was to use fun and frolic as an introduction to these groups. Then there's the one about the potential publicity man of the Newman Club who poked his hairless head out of the bus window and, with eyes on those who hiked it, tauntingly yelled: "Join the Catholic Church and ride!" Good advertisement and how! The Marines are looking for someone like you, sonny.

Last Saturday night in the Student Center there was an all college dance. The orchestra turned on the heat (there was plenty of that and humidity, too) and magnanimously "gave". Every bug's son of us was jittin' to a fare-thee-well (which came at 12 sharp). So hepped were the cats that the very light fixtures were endangered—anyway, I guess that's what was meant when someone yelled, "Grab a chandelier." Our Student Body Vice-president was there (as if you didn't know) intermittently dancing and peeping from behind pot-

ted plants (birds of a feather?) to plead with the orchestra for "Si Bone". Rumor has it that it won't be long before an encore (of the dance, not the antics of Thomas).

In the sorority doings this period might well be known as the calm before the storm. Saturday the Greek gals begin Formal Rushing. With that madcap season come formal parties and copy, copy, copy.

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Demons Meet Tigers Tomorrow

TO PILOT 1942 DEMONS



These two senior lettermen will pilot the Louisiana State Normal College Demon gridders through their 1942 season which opens with a game Saturday against the Old Lou Tigers at Tiger Field in Baton Rouge. Theophile Scott, left, of Natchitoches, tailback on the '42 eleven, is captain of the team; and Ed McDermott of Bossier City, first-string end, is alternate captain. Both are signed up in the naval reserve corps.

Bayou Bengals Boast Usual Power; Locals Have Question-Mark Squad

Demon Squad In Good Condition

The Demons will open their 1942 football season in a game with the L. S. U. Tigers at Baton Rouge on Sept. 19.

Having come through a stiff 10-day conditioning period of three workouts daily without a mishap of any consequence, the Demons are in good condition for their tussle with the downstate eleven. The locals engaged in their first scrimmage Saturday and although it was hotly

contested, there was little achieved toward picking a starting line-up for the fracas in the Tigers' den.

Normal Football Schedule Changed

Several changes have been made in the 1942 football schedule as published in this paper in the spring. Louisiana State university has been booked for the opening game in Baton Rouge on September 19. The originally scheduled opener with Stephen F. Austin here has been cancelled and the East Texas Teachers will open the home schedule for the Demons on September 25. The Mississippi Southern game scheduled for November 7 at Natchitoches has been cancelled and will be an open date for the Demons.

The complete schedule is as follows:

- Sept. 19—L. S. U., at Baton Rouge
- Sept. 25—East Texas Teachers, here
- Oct. 2—Sam Houston Teachers, here
- Oct. 24—La. Tech, State Fair, Shreveport
- Oct. 30—Southeastern of Hammond, here
- Nov. 13—Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, Ark.
- Nov. 26—Southwestern at Lafayette

The Baton Rouge Bengals are expected to produce one of the strongest teams in the South this season. Although their strength is as yet untested, a star-studded roster of players makes the Tigers look like trouble for more than one big-time eleven.

The Demons will answer the starter's whistle against their formidable opponents with an abundance of backfield material and a dark horse line.

Three quarterbacks, Bourn, Carlin and Randall, are ready to pilot the local team. Bourn, a senior from Haynesville, saw plenty of action last season and is expected to turn in plenty of good service on the local squad this year. Carlin, a junior, also is experienced and will likewise see plenty of service against Demon opponents this season. Randall, a sophomore, will understudy the two upperclassmen and will probably draw assignments in several tussles.

Four first-class wing-backs are ready to go against the Tigers. Morris Carbo, Carlton Johnson, Alden Vige and C. M. McSwain all tried out at the post in Saturday's scrimmage. All four men played a flashy brand of ball last season. Carbo, Johnson and McSwain played the wing position in 1941 and Vige has been shifted from the spinner position.

Tommy Bambrick, smashing varsity fullback of last season will be on hand in that position as will Pat Nation, also a letterman, and Clawson, a sophomore. Theophile Scott, Demon captain, and Carl Benton, flashy soph, are expected to carry the major burden at tail-back. Scott is an all-L.I.C. senior and Benton starts the year as one of the few sophomores who saw varsity service last year.

In the line the Demons have three returning lettermen. Bollier, junior center, and Meagher and McDermott, senior ends are on hand. Lutgring, junior non-letterman, Kilpatrick and Gerson, senior non-lettermen, and sophomores Townsend, Landry and Stiles, all ends, have returned for tries at the wing positions.

At the tackles McFarland, Bill Eason, Woodward and Tripp, all sophomores are available as well as Rudy Eason and Dickson, both freshmen.

The guard slots are being contested by four sophomores and one senior non-letterman. Tom P. Southerland is the senior while Tinsley, Davis, Burley and Thompson are the second year players in the guard positions.

Bollier, junior letterman, and Nicosia, a senior, are the experienced men trying for the center post but Brakate, a freshman, is also in the fight for the pivot position.

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An interesting feature of Saturday's battle between our Demons and the Tigers from L. S. U. should be the competition between Theophile Scott and Carl Benton of the Normal backfield and Sulcer Harris and Joe Giaccone of the favored Tigers. Benton and Scott will be operating behind an inexperienced line but those boys can go without too much help.

If you have heard some loud thuds, and louder talking coming from the Normal practice field lately, don't get worried. That's just Bill Eason and his younger but bigger and louder-mouthed brother, Rudy, battling for a tackle position on the football squad.

If a few more members of the Normal team enlist in the Reserve Corps of the Army or Navy, the intersquad scrimmage will be like the Army-Navy game. To add a little flavor even to such a battle, we could throw a few leathernecks like Johnson, Bollier, Eason, Tinsley, Tripp and Benton, into the soup.

The success of our football team this year is going to depend very much on the development of the Demon forward wall. With only three returning lettermen, two ends and a center, the guard and tackle slots will be in somewhat inexperienced hands.

All this talk is just getting me around to what I really want to say: "HOLD THAT TIGER!!"

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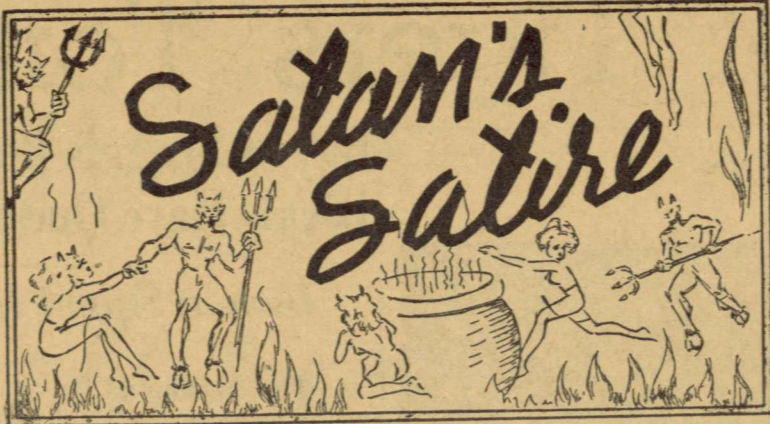
9c and 22c

Bela Lugosi

Joan Barclay

in

"BLACK DRAGONS"



In this, the initial issue of vituperous thrusts at the doers of misdeeds around the local terrain, we are faced with the well-nigh-impossible task of uncovering timely items from the chaste and barren expanses that have been the Louisiana State Normal college campus these many weeks. For the benefit of those neophytes who are unfamiliar with the methods and policies of this column we offer the following suggestions:

- A. To avoid mention herein.
 1. Never attend social functions.
 2. Make straight "A's".
 3. Show no interest in the other of the two leading sexes.
 4. Bribe the editor. (Rates furnished free of charge)
- B. If you feel that you have been wronged in this column:
 1. Resign from school.
 2. Sue (This is futile—we're broke)
 3. Call the editor names—if you think of any that he hasn't already been called.

And so to the few scraps of interesting doings of interesting people:

Eligible males were so scarce around the campus this summer that a real crisis arose in the life of at least one local swain. Sohphome Ivan Woodward opened the session with a motley array of freshwomen but soon settled down (he thought) to a methodical campaign against the defenses of very, very freshman coed Earline Treadway. 'Twas apparent from the very outset that the panzer tactics (pincher movement, ya know) of Ivan Adair were telling and that the lady was practically his. Then, suddenly, Perla Ann Williams, regular session flame of the all brawn, no you-know-what Ivan, appeared on the scene for a week's visit.

It was a hectic week for our hero. He bore up well for a couple of days but at last he cracked under the strain. After rendering himself unconscious by leaping from a swing on the elementary school playground only to be revived to find the situation unchanged, Woodward gave up the fight, resigned from school and went home to the peace and quiet of Baton Rouge. No rest for the weary though for Father Woodward sent son I. Adair right back. Some fast action is expected this fall as both young ladies have returned—not for a week but for nine whole months.

One interesting romance that bloomed in the sultry atmosphere of the summer session was that of Elmo (Curly) Hill and Black Lake's favorite daughter, Elizabeth Harrison. Bright moonlight and long strolls to the village in the p. m.'s this summer made Curly completely forget last year's P. M. (which may or may not stand for post meridian). By summer's end, Elizabeth was already facing the problem of discovering the beginning of Hill's head and the end of his face when she administered the traditional goe'night peck to the forehead on the steps of Berwick Barracks.

A model young man was J. Bullington Howell this summer as he remained in and about these halls of higher learning while his favorite blonde, Mary K. Griffin, spent a full-length vacation in other parts. To the uninitiated this may seem to be uninteresting in the extreme but those in the know will bear witness to the fact that good marks in deportment were never J. B.'s strong points. It's about as revolutionary as man bites dog—or perhaps now we should say, man bites squirrel.

Pauline Holland rang the bell this summer when she finally achieved what had seemed unachievable in snagging Russell Cronin's fraternity pin. Holland had tried soft music, soft moonlight, horseback rides and all of the other time-tested devices for tearing down masculine resistance to the definiteness that goes with a pinning. Apparently she finally remembered the old saying about the shortest distance between two points is through a man's stomach, or sumpin', for the deal was pushed through amid the bright lights and clatter of dishes while the two of them were dining in a popular Shreveport "spot". Romantic, eh?

The No. 1 squelch of the first week of school is credited to blonde, bouncy Mildred Courtney who entered Normal this summer. The victim was Millard Hudson who brought it all on himself by remarking that Miss Courtney is a bit too masculine to suit the Hudson taste. Unshaken by such outspoken criticism, Courtney came back snappily with, "You'd be better off if you were just a little more masculine yourself, big boy."

MEET US AT THE

P. & C. DRUG

Soda - Sandwiches - Sociability

FRONT STREET

Berry-

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of sociology at the New York Medical college.

Defining her aims in a letter to freshman women early last week Mrs. Berry stated:

"The office of the Dean of

Y.W.C.A. MEETS SUNDAY

The Y.W.C.A. had its first meeting of the year Sunday afternoon at 1:30. Edith Kuhn, Marjorie Abney and Mary Ellen Caldwell rendered a very beautiful trio, "Near to the Heart of God." The physical, mental, and spiritual sides of the Y.W.C.A. triangle were explained by Dicie Tarver, Marguerite Monks, and Marjorie Abney. Mary Ellen Caldwell, president, concluded the program with a brief resume of the plans for the year.

Women has been created by the college to help make your life on the campus effective and happy. I feel that it is a special obligation of this office to help you make the best possible use of the many opportunities offered here, to assist you in adjusting yourself to a new environment, to help you in discovering and establishing sound values, and to stimulate a desire to build within yourself a sense of discrimination in conduct."

Mrs. Berry adds that, insofar as her position and duties will allow it, she is interested in helping to assist in the wholesome development of the men students as well as the women.

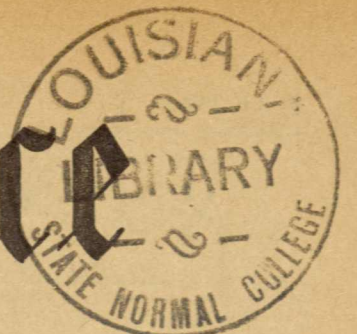
Campus reaction to Mrs. Berry has been extremely favorable. Students and faculty alike feel that her experience and personal qualifications will lead to efficient administration of her position.

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Bigger, Better Sauce Staff Now at Work

Organization of the staff of the 1942-43 Current Sauce was well under way this week, as a result of Monday night's initial meeting in the Sauce office. With thirteen new writers and secretarial workers reporting for duty this week, departmental assignments were made and systematic handling of campus news was assured.

Many of this year's staff writers are attending journalism classes offered by Charles Cunningham, faculty advisor for the two college publications. The classes are to meet each Monday at 7:00 p. m., the first one being scheduled for September 28. These informal classes, to be held in room 4 of the Fine Arts building, are open to any student interested in the journalistic field; they are not restricted to Current Sauce staff members.

Present at Monday's organizational meeting were the following newcomers to the staff: Freddie Logan, Colleen Brasher, Lynn Steed, LaVerne Wale, Rudolph Phares, Frances Childress, Billie Sayes, Janis Tooke, Clarice Ware, Imelda LeBleu, Ruth Threatt, Doris LeBlanc and Grace King.

Women Will Be Offered Training At Trade School

Women will be admitted to the National Defense Training Classes at Natchitoches Trade School in the very near future. Director H. C. Givens requests all women who are interested in taking such training to meet with him at the Trade School, Monday, September 7, at 2:30 p. m. Details regarding the courses offered and conditions on enrollment will be explained at that time.

POSTOFFICE NOTICE

Mrs. C. W. Boydston, Postmistress at Normal Station, stated this week that it is imperative that all students see that their mail is properly addressed in order that the local station may give better service during the coming year.

Students are urged to have the address of all mail intended for them include both the proper box number and the direction, "Normal Station".

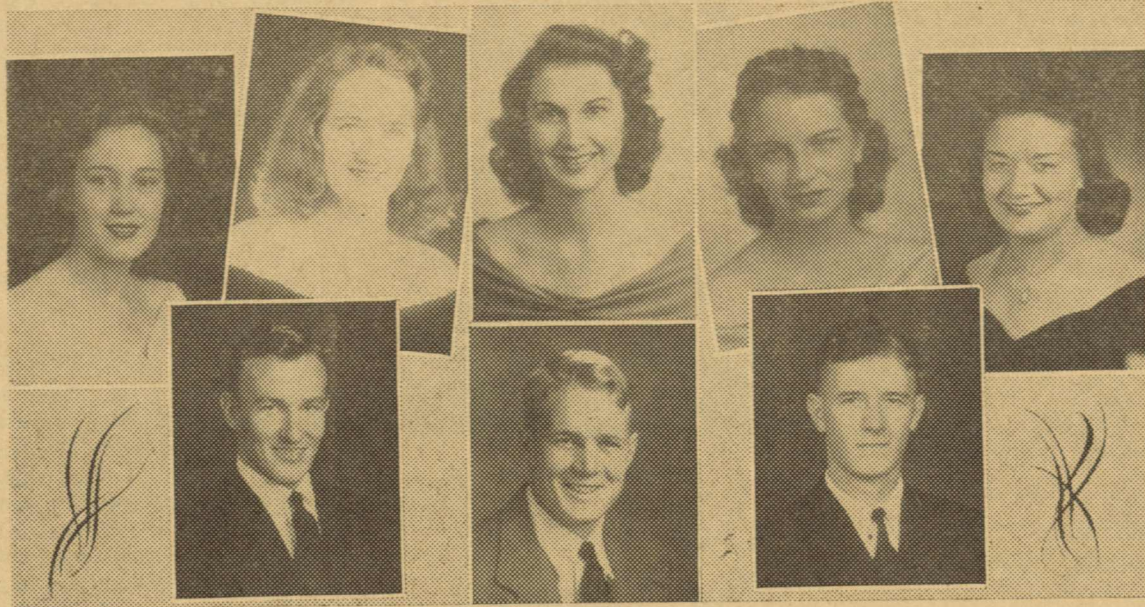
Window service is available at Normal Station from 9:00 a. m. until 12:00 noon and from 1:00 p. m. until 4:30 p. m.

Mail leaves the college station at 12:00 noon and at 4:00 p. m.

Y. W. C. A. had its regular Sunday afternoon program Sept. 20. "Success in Life" was the theme of the program and was very well presented by Grace Sanson, Virginia Cook, and Edith Kuhn.

Morning Watch is held each morning at 7:00 o'clock. All girls are invited to attend.

Ready for the Kill...



... are these Greek-letter organizations heads. The sorority presidents will face joy or despair Sunday when they issue bids to prospective pledges but the fraternity prexies still have several weeks of rushing before them. The women are, left to right: Shirley Backes, Theta Sigma Upsilon; Mary K. Griffin, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Betty Bell, Pi Kappa Sigma; Rivers Rhodes, former president of Alpha Sigma Alpha who was replaced last week by Viola Caraway, and Marjorie Aaron, Delta Sigma Epsilon. The men are, left to right: J. C. Carlin, Phi Kappa Nu; John "Cotton" Meagher, Sigma Tau Gamma, and John Hopper, Lambda Zeta.

Faculty Forms Reading Club

The Educators' Reading Club composed of 42 members of the college faculty and the ministers from the various churches in the city of Natchitoches was formed on the campus of the college this week under the direction of Dr. Marvin C. Pittman, director of instruction.

Members of the club have been divided into six groups which will meet six times during the regular session, it was announced. Each group will read a book a month with a two-hour seminar slated at the termination of each reading period.

Both the books and the leaders of the groups will rotate each month, according to the plan announced this week. Six varieties of subjects along with leaders of each group were named at the initial meeting of the club this week.

Subjects and leaders selected are: Fiction, Miss Clio Allen; Philosophy of Government, Alvin Good; Religion, Rev. Carl Lueg; Latin America, L. H. Dyson; Science, Miss Nancy Sexton; Biography, Dr. Clarence Dugdale.

The following people are requested to call at the Speech Office, Fine Arts No. 1, Friday, 3 to 5 o'clock or Saturday, 8 to 12 o'clock to complete records on their Physical Examination:

Allred, Norma Ruth; Aycock, Ollie Lee; Baird, Evelyn; Ballard, Polly; Bradley, Alice; Bradley, Sue; Bright, Mary Frances; Burnette, Jaunita; Callender, Marilyn; Collier, Shirley; Collins, Mary Sue; Courtney, Mildred; Edwards, Judy; Farrar, Peggy; Guillery, Hilda; Hart, Mildred; Hayworth, Mary Jo; Henry, Betty Jean; Hewitt, Tessye Lee; Humphries, Mildred; Johnson, Sue; Jones, Connie; Jones, Gladys; Jones, Susan; Jones, Verna Mae; Keegan, Elizabeth; Knight, Adele; Lyons, Fannie; McCarthy, Katherine; McEachern, Corlynn; Monk, Vivian; O'Neil, Marjorie; Pinchback, Dottie; Prestidge, Mary Bess; Reynolds, Betty; Rodgers, Catrie Nell; Russell, Carolyn; Saucier, Clemmie; Schuman, Aileen; Sled, Lynn; Thomas, Ruth; Thomason, Lula Mae; Treadwell, Thetis; Voorhies, Jacqueline; and Westall, Mary Ann.

Sororities to Issue Bids Sunday; Rush Dates to End Today

After the final rush dates this afternoon, the five campus sororities and their rushees will observe a period of silence, to be terminated Sunday morning at 8:30 with the issuing of formal bids.

"Waves" Sought By Navy Dept.

The extensive program for obtaining enlisted personnel for the Women's Reserve of the United States Navy began this week as headquarters of Naval Officer Procurement in New Orleans and branch offices in the Eighth Naval District prepared to accept applications for Class V-10, the District Public Relations Office announced.

This program is designed to procure the enlisted personnel for the "Waves" to take over work being done in naval shore establishments thereby releasing men for sea duty.

Requirements for enlisted personnel are that the woman be not less than 20 and under 36, have no children under 18 years of age, be a high school or college graduate and be able to submit evidence of occupation after attending school, and pass the physical examination.

Fall rushing had its informal beginning on September 9, with the opening of school. The week beginning September 14 was one of partial silence, during which sorority members could entertain rushees only in the field house. Scheduled dating began last Saturday, and the first of the five formal rush parties was held in Old Social on Saturday evening. Other parties were given this week.

The college Pan-Hellenic council will entertain all freshman women students at a tea in the drawing room of Varnado Hall on Saturday, September 26.

Pi Kappa Sigma Has Best Spring Sorority Average

Pi Kappa Sigma, with an average of 1.80, led three of the five local sororities in scholastic average for the spring semester it was announced this week. Two campus women's Greek-letter organizations, Alpha Sigma Alpha and Sigma Sigma Sigma, are not included in the list because, according to a statement made by Miss Leora Blair, they submitted insufficient information for computation.

Delta Sigma Epsilon and Theta Sigma Upsilon ran neck and neck in the race for the second spot in the tabulation with the Delta Sig's taking the runner-up position with an average of 1.513 while the Theta Sig's barely trailed with a 1.510 average.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

King Football to Take Throne Here Friday Night

SPIRIT HIGH
ON CAMPUS

King Football, a bit shaken by repeated blows to vital spots from Mars, God of War, will begin his annual reign over the local campus when the Demons meet the invading Lions of East Texas State Teachers college on Normal field Friday night. The campus is flaming with college spirit as the date for the perennial coronation of the monarch approaches after a question-mark Normal squad took a thorough beating from L. S. U. in Baton Rouge last week but still managed to look much better than their supporters had expected.

Local interest in the game is expected to have reached a tremendous climax by game time Friday night. A mammoth pep meeting at a special called assembly after the second period Thursday and another Thursday night started the whoop-la rolling on the campus.

The Normal band will be at the opening game in full force to serenade the two elevens during the tussle and to entertain the spectators during the half-time rest period. The musicians appeared at the pep meeting Thursday.

(see sports page)

Night Commerce Classes Begin

The department of commerce this week announced the opening of night classes in the commercial courses, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 22, at 6:30 p. m. This will be the first time in the history of the college that students have been offered full credit toward graduation through enrollment in night classes.

The classes, each of which will be one hour and twenty minutes in length, are open to any individual qualified to carry the work. Courses will continue through the fall semester, until January 23, and regular college credit will be allowed.

The registration fee is \$3.00, plus \$2.25 for students enrolled in typewriting. One fee covers all work taken. Tuesday, Sept. 29, has been set as the final date for registration in these night courses.

Classes are to meet as follows:
Elementary Typewriting: Monday and Wednesday, 6:30
Elementary Stenography: Monday and Wednesday, 7:50
Elementary Accounting: Tuesday and Thursday, 6:30
Office Machines: Tuesday and Thursday, 6:30
Office Machines: Tuesday and Thursday, 7:50.

CALENDAR

Saturday, Sept. 26
Varnado Hall: Pan Hellenic Tea—4:00-6:00 p. m.

Wednesday, Sept. 30
Varnado Hall: Faculty and Staff Party—8:00 p. m.

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Blitzkrieg and Good-Time Charlie

A friend observed the other day, "I wish the army would call me. I'm tired of the looks these soldiers give a fellow these days."

He was expressing the problem which confronts every young American male of college age today. What is the call of duty?

American educators, and officials of the military forces themselves, are soundnig a very definite answer to this question. Constantly we are being reminded of the futility of this war unless the world can be rebuilt into something better than the motley collection of scandal-ridden, poverty-stricken nations that started the present holocaust. And, we are told, unless the young men of today are as well trained as possible in the skills and facts of the way of life which we now seek to preserve then a military victory over our Axis enemies will be barren of lasting benefits.

Few will deny the soundness of these arguments. Americans are accepting the fact that college men should complete as much of their academic training as possible before actually taking up arms. Practically all branches of the service are providing reserve plans, by enlisting in which college students may receive their degrees before being called to active duty.

Nevertheless it is equally important that these arguments shall not be used as instruments for rationalization by those who are not seriously preparing themselves for future life. Unfortunately a few students of all colleges in all sections of the nation attend institutions of higher learning because it seems the easiest way to have a good time and, coincidentally, postpone the day when they must earn a living for themselves. Certainly the arguments in favor of the completion of college before entering the service are not applicable to such cases.

In peace time these "good-time Charlies" are guilty of little more than playing the role of an economic parasite. In war time a far more serious charge may be directed at them.

In short, as this school year begins the men of this college must make sure that our energies are seriously devoted to the job of preparing for good citizenship in the world to come. We must realize that neglect of any of the many factors involved in such preparation is as much neglect of duty to the nation as is the failure of a member of the armed forces to carry out orders to the best of his ability.

Such intensive preparation may mean that we must give up a few things which we have enjoyed in the past. It definitely means that we must be vigilant in the conservation of our time and energies.

The racoon coat and flask-in-every-pocket college days are over. Glamour mills are not essential to total war. Students who dissipate their energies on foolishness have no place in a world of blitzkrieg and sudden death.

Certainly this does not mean that a normal participation in the pleasant and, perhaps, non-essential parts of college life is, or should be, verboten. It simply indicates that we must all be a bit more careful in guarding against unnecessary waste of time and energy. It definitely does mean that those few students who have come here for a good time and nothing else can no longer justify their presence here.

In other words, as a new academic year begins, let's hit the ball—and hard. This should be a big year. Clubs, dances, dates, etc., all have their place. But let's remember that we also have our place. Let's fill it.

INTRODUCING---

Dr. Andrew Hunt

DIRECTOR OF STUDENT WELFARE



DR. ANDREW HUNT

Coed Bemoans War Vacation

By BEAU LESS

Now that the old alma mommy has rounded up her proteges and the college omnibus has shifted into high gear for a year of fun, fraternities and feather cuts, (and we hope, more studying than has ever been done at Normal, for that's our part in the war) our thoughts wander back to the vacation just gone by. What is a wartime vacation like?

What with the shortage of tires and boys, this past summer seemed to be different from those of years gone by and if we can annihilate the Japs and Germans before next summer, it will probably be one long remembered. To pick the worst of the two shortages is easy, for after all, tires are not much fun if there are no boys about. We didn't mind the tire situation, but it did make this vacation a new species.

As another vacation diversion, Lohengrin's tune seemed to be slightly overworked by couples who embarked on the sea of matrimony in fleets. (May there be no torpedoes there!)

And as Uncle Sam took practically all those eligible males not already taken, the shortage grew acute. But no moping around! Defense work in the form of Red Cross work, defense classes, or even just being cut in on at USO dances took up a large part of the spare time left by the aforementioned shortages. And letter writing was found to be fun as never before. (By the way, have you received a Victory letter?) Furloughs also brightened up the lives of those with friends (and not purely platonic, either!) adopted as Uncle Sam's nephews. It was a change, but it was fun, ne c'est Pas?

So now for those classes. That is one of the reasons we came to college, I believe. Being on dawn patrol (8 o'clock classes, to you) is something of a change from staying between the percales till all hours of the morning. So one can hardly be blamed for dozing under the drone of educational oratory. Until, of course, one can learn the method of sleeping with one's eyes open. (Experienced upper classmen's names given upon request.)

So ad infinitum, sic tempus fugit, here we are at college. And till next summer, hop on the diploma-bound bus and get in there and hustle. Let's do our job as well as our boys are doing theirs in all corners of the globe and pretty soon we'll have both shoe laces tied!

"I am indeed impressed by the calibre of the students here. I feel that your standards are as high as those of any college with which I have ever been associated," said Dr. Andrew Hunt, new Director of Student Welfare this week. Dr. Hunt assumed his position at the beginning of the current semester replacing Dr. Joe Gerber who is now on leave of absence for service with the United States Navy.

The new member of the college administration is also impressed by the "obviously sincere emphasis of religion on the campus" and hopes that he can assist in maintaining this spirit.

Fresh from the wide open spaces of Texas, Dr. Hunt asserts that one of the principle factors which influenced him to accept a position at the college was a desire to "get back home." He was born in Nacogdoches, Texas, a town very similar to Natchitoches. He comes to Normal from the Texas College of Mines in El Paso, Texas.

A glance at the record of the new director of guidance reveals that he filled his position as Director of Student Guidance at the Texas college with the vigor and spirit of a dime novel version of a cowboy in his native state. There he set up a student guidance program that is still in use at the College of Mines and he sponsored a Unity Week and a Student Conference which attracted wide attention. The Student Conference, Dr. Hunt's last activity before coming to Normal, attracted student leaders from many states.

As Director of Student Welfare at the college, Dr. Hunt is extremely interested in helping all local students to solve the problems that arise in the course of their lives here and urges the members of the student body to consult with him about these matters.

The new Director of Student Welfare, holding the B.A. and M.A. degrees from Baylor University and the Ph.D. from the University of Texas, comes to the college with ten years of experience in the public schools and colleges of Texas. He has held positions as a superintendent of schools, dean of students in a Texas college and the head of the Department of Guidance in another institution of higher education in the Lone Star State. He also served as assistant to Dr. B. F. Pittenger, head of the School of Education at the University of Texas.

Dr. Hunt is a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Kappa Delta Pi, honorary fraternities. He established Epsilon chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, a chapter of which is located here, at Texas College of Mines.

He also has achieved recognition for articles on education, two of which are appearing in current issues of national educational magazines. The Journal of Higher Education is publishing his article on student activities at the Texas College of Mines and his Doctor's dissertation is to appear in the Phi Delta Kappan. Dr. Hunt has served as editor of the Texas English Journal, official journal of the English Division of the Texas State Teachers Association.

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Society



By BETTY BELL

Along about 6:15 last Saturday morning the this year's inmates of the alphabetized girls dormitories were awakened by what sounded like the 150th Field Artillery encamping outside their doors. After The Invaders (from the picture of the same name) were relatively settled down a few of the invadees ventured a furtive glance and query and found, not the expected U. S. males but a crew of Louisiana Normal's Greek gals licking their chops in anticipation of the 7:00 o'clock pounce. And so Rush Week was given birth—some have come to wish it had been throttled in its pre-natal stage. But if yours is a strong constitution and the hustle and bustle is right up the alley you're Lily of, then this week is meat for you.

The T. S. U. eleven vs. other Sororities opened the season with their brawl atop Old Social. Diked out in pink and white, complete with shoulder pads, the Theta Sigs played a mighty game. Though not very brawny, the gals made a terrific showing and with a fake here (strictly impersonal, I assure) and a pass there (same rule applies) they kept things moving right through center. After Saturday night my prediction is that they have a good chance for a fine showing in the Pan-Hell finals this season. The awards, gold footballs, were presented after the engagement.

On Monday night the Pi Kaps took a turn. This time Old Social was dressed up as Grauman's Chinese Theatre and the Brown Derby. The gals, too, "went" Hollywood and you can take it from me that the stars in California haven't a thing we gals don't have—except, of course, on them it doesn't look rationed. (Thanks, Bob!) Kay Kyser made an appearance and conducted his Kollege of Knowledge and all his chillun got an Oscar, photograph albums, no less.

Marjorie Barre got a hand for the prize crack of the night when she approached the sardonic looking Veronica Lake, raised half a head of hair, and said, "Humm, always wondered if there was another eye!"

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Texans Invade Tomorrow Night

Demons Look Good In Losing, 40-0, To Ole War Skule

LINE HOLDS WELL;
OFFENSE POWERFUL

The Demons rang up the curtain on their 1942 grid season and sent hopes for a highly successful season soaring at the college when they managed to look very good while taking a 40-0 shelacking from the power-laden Tigers of L. S. U. in Baton Rouge Saturday night. The Demon line, number one trouble spot of pre-season practice, held up well against a far heavier Tiger line and dispelled local fears that a pitifully weak line would wreck the chances of the team this season. Defense against the university aerial attack showed as the principle niche in the Demons' defensive armor in Saturday night's game.

Although the team was obviously playing under wraps, the locals' offense worked nicely against the heavier L. S. U. eleven. Tommy Bambrick, fullback, averaged 4.5 yards per try as he cracked the center of the Ole War Skule's line 11 times. Carl Benton, sophomore tailback, rang up a 4.7 average on 8 tries against the Purple and Gold defense. Alden Vige ran with the ball on six occasions and gained 24 yards for an average of an even four yards per try. Captain Theophile Scott hustled 17 yards on five tries but was thrown for one eighty-yard loss and so ended with a 1.5-yards per try average. Scott showed well on punt returns as he almost slipped loose on several occasions.

Showing woefully weak, however, was the Demon punting. The locals punted 10 times during the fray and averaged 24.4 yards per punt. An even smaller average was prevented by virtue of the fact that most of the Normal backs aimed their boots out of bounds, preventing return of the kicks.

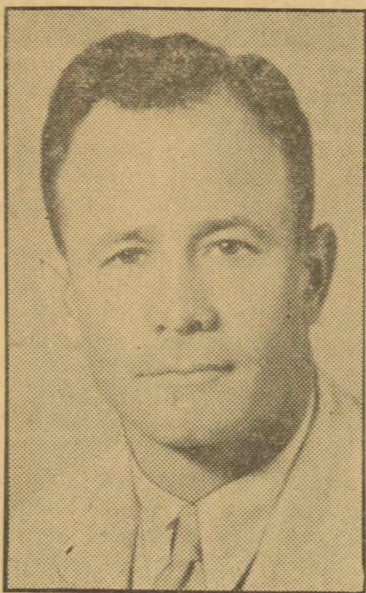
The Tigers looked much the worst in at least two departments of the game, fumbles and penalties. The downstate boys juggled the oval seven times, losing it twice, while the Purple and White eleven made five bobbles, losing the ball once. L. S. U. drew 70 yards for fouls while the Demons lost only 20 yards in that manner.

Ole Lou got 15 first downs and the Normal eleven rolled up 8 of the try-again tallies. The Demons managed for only one first down during the first half but got seven in the third and fourth quarters, four of which came on one 58-yard sustained drive late in the third quarter.

The Demon threat started on their own 35 yard line. With Bambrick driving through the center of the Tiger line for nice gains and Benton slicing off the university tackles and around the wings, the locals went 58 yards to their opponents' seven-yard line where Benton fumbled momentarily and the L. S. U. line halted the drive. A fourth-down field goal try by Ernest Davis was blocked.

The Bengals got one touchdown and an extra point in the first quarter, went wild and garnered 19 points on three tallies and one conversion in the second frame, scored again in the third, added the point-after-touchdown and broke through for a final marker in the concluding period, making

"RAGS"



Coach Harry "Rags" Turpin sends his 1942 Normal Demon football team into action Friday night against the East Texas Teachers eleven from Commerce, Texas.

Colleges Asked To Curb Travel To Sports Events

The Office of Defense Transportation has requested all college football authorities to develop such individual plans for their football games and other athletic contests this season as will eliminate mass travel of week-end crowds by bus and railroad.

Close supervision by college officials over the distribution of tickets to these games has been suggested as one way to control the influx of fans. Already the University of Pittsburg has tightened up on its ticket distribution with this end in mind.

"I am not unmindful," Mr. Eastman said in his original appeal, "of the benefits derived from college football and other types of sports events, and I am well aware of the desirability of continuing these games. Through the cooperation of the public in refraining from travel, we hope to assure conditions which will make possible the continuance of sports events without depriving those who must travel of essential transportation facilities."

the extra point. Three of the downstaters' six-pointers came on passes, one of which had a lateral tacked on the end. Another, the fourth-quarter score was the result of a 57-yard dash by Nagata, Ole Lou freshman. The other two touchdowns went through the Demon forward wall on short plunges.

A feature of Demon play was the fine defensive work of end Al Gerson. Gerson, a senior non-letterman, played jam-up ball throughout the game and proved one of the principle thorns in the Tiger team's side.

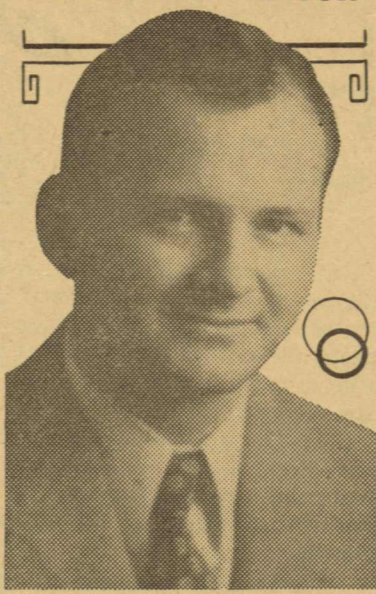
With the exception of Pat Nation, local back, the Demons came out of the tussle without a major injury. Nation twisted an ankle during the second half but may be ready to go against East Texas Teachers here Friday night. Toxie Bourn, senior quarterback was unable to see service against L.S.U. Saturday night as he injured his nose in a practice session late last week but he is expected to be in playing condition this week-end.

Swimming Pool Ready for Use

The college pool will be open for recreational swimming at the hours indicated on the schedule below. The pool may be used by college students, members of the faculty and staff and their immediate families at these hours. Persons wishing to swim must have a health certificate on file at the natatorium. This swimming permit may be signed by any doctor. Students who had examinations for physical education this summer or this fall already have certificates on file. Out-of-town guests may use the pool on special request.

Hours are: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, four to five-thirty; Tuesday, Thursday, seven to eight-thirty; Saturday, Sunday, three to five.

BACKFIELD MENTOR



Coach Alvin Brown will have his eyes glued on the Demon backfield Friday night as his charges play their first home game of the 1942 season.

Lions Have Heavy, Speedy Eleven for Tilt With Demons

LOCALS UNINJURED AFTER GAME WITH L. S. U.

The Demons will open their 1942 home schedule in a game with the East Texas Lions in Normal Stadium Friday night.

The Demons came out of their game with L. S. U. in good shape and should be ready for the best the Lions can put on the field. The only injury was a sprained ankle sustained by Pat Nation, senior tailback. Toxy Bourn, senior quarterback, who did not see service against L. S. U. because of a broken and lacerated nose, will be in condition for the clash with the Lions.

Coach Turpin of the Demons was well pleased with the showing his boys made against the strong Tigers. The Normal starting line-up held the Tigers to two touchdowns in their thirty minutes of play, and although L. S. U. scored several times on the reserves, they gained some valuable experience. Practice this week will be for the purpose of ironing out the errors they made in the L. S. U. game.

Their game with Normal will be the Lions' first of the season. The East Texans boast a 200 pound senior fullback in Arnold Johnson. He should prove a test for Normal's line. James O'Dell, 200 pound senior tackle and Joe Mulleion, 240 pound sophomore, will lead the Texas line into the battle with the Demons.

The Demons will try to match the Texan's Johnson with Bambrick and Benton. These two boys showed some real plunging in going through L. S. U.'s line last Saturday, and should give the East Texans trouble. Theophile Scott, Demon captain and tailback, and Carlton Johnson, speedy wingback, also showed up well against L. S. U. and will be ready to give the Lion's plenty of trouble with their end sweeps.

The Normal line showed up well against L. S. U. despite a lack of reserves and experience. Meagher and McDermott, senior ends, played their usual fine game and the sophomore tackles McFarland, B. Eason, Woodward and Tripp, also played well. Bollier and Nicosia, who played center and backed up the line played a fine defensive game. "Stinky" Davis, burly guard who did the Normal placekicking showed up well. All these boys will be in there pitching Friday night and although little is known of the East Texans' strength, the Demons will be ready to give them a good battle.

Demon Dust

By W. E. TIMON

One of the fears of Demon followers was dispelled last Saturday when Normal's light and supposedly weak line held up against the onslaught of the powerful L. S. U. Tigers. Three of the Tigers' touchdowns were made by passing and one was on a long run. The other two were scored through the line after a continuous pounding by Louisiana State's big backs. This speaks well for our linemen already and they are certain to improve as the season progresses.

Another highlight of Saturday's game with the Tigers was the splendid showing of Carl Benton, sophomore tailback, and Tommy Bambrick, junior fullback. Those two boys plunged and tore their way through the Tiger forward wall for an average gain of nearly five yards per try. Theophile Scott, captain and tailback, and Carlton Johnson, wingback, also played their usual fine game.

In case anyone is worried about the Demons' pass defense, after the Tigers scored three touchdowns via the aerial route, it might interest them to know that the boy that was doing the passing for L. S. U. was Alvin Dark, who is already being touted as the best passer in the Southeastern Conference. There is no defense for passing when the pass is right on the spot, and that is right where this boy put them.

Pat Nation, senior tailback, was the only Demon to receive an injury in the clash with L. S. U. Pat sustained a sprained ankle which will probably keep him out of the battle with the East Texas Teachers Friday night. Toxy Bourn, senior blocking back who did not see service against the Tigers will be ready to go against East Texas. Toxy had been suffering from a broken and badly lacerated nose.

The Demons will open their home season against the East Texas Lions Friday night. Little is known of the Lions' strength as this will be their first game but they have never failed to give the Demons a battle, so it should be a good game.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Students interested in participating in advanced Aquatic activities should see Miss Elizabeth Ostlund immediately. This would include formation swimming, stunts, surf-boarding, and diving.

Normal Football Schedule

- Sept. 25—East Texas Teachers, here
- Oct. 2—Sam Houston Teachers, here
- Oct. 24—La. Tech, State Fair, Shreveport
- Oct. 30—Southeastern of Hammond, here
- Nov. 13—Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, Ark.
- Nov. 26—Southwestern at Lafayette

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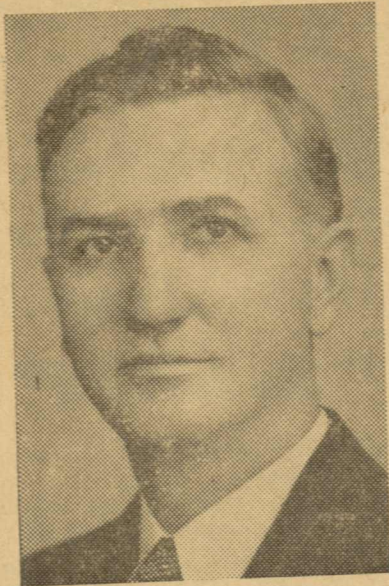
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New Professor



Dr. Ottis Clark Skipper, above, has been elected to a chair in the department of social studies at the Louisiana State Normal College here to succeed Miss Martha Feltus, professor of history, retired. A native of Throp Springs, Texas, Dr. Skipper holds the A. B. degree from the University of Texas and the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Harvard. An author of numerous publications on the history of the South, Dr. Skipper has taught widely throughout the Southern states. His most recent work is "A Life of J. D. B. DeBow", ante bellum publisher of Economic Review.

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"NO MORE ORCHIDS"



An exceptionally quiet crew were the gals and guys on the hill this week as part of the student body trekked to Baton Rouge for the football game and the sororities paused to gather strength for the hectic melee that comes with rush season. Only a few localites were able to crawl out of their shells and do something interesting. They are, from left to right:

Two guys who made last week's column for being good boys are back in for a re-check this week. Said re-check shows that they were really not such very good boys this summer and so we reopen the sad and lengthy stories of Russell "Pinky" Cronin and John Bullington Howell.

We thought that last week's little society note concerning the Cronin-Holland intent-to-merge affair was all quite appropriate and in good taste but the very morning that The Current Sauce crept hesitatingly out on the local news stands we found him in a student center corner smacking his lips over a letter from Mary Virginia Bolton, vivacious summer freshman.

LATE FLASH!

The following morning Cronin's frat pen was back in his possession. Powerful things, these blondes, even from a distance.

In regard to John the Bull, it would seem that his timing in romance is as multiple and rapid as are his sticks on the drums come Swing King nights at the student center. Word comes straight and true that while M. K. Griffin was practicing her secretarying on somebody's knee in Vivian, the Bull was seen doing an excellent job of protecting some little girl from the big bad lions and elephants (in technicolor, too) that swarmed the screen at a local theatre during one of the evenings of the warmer months.

Another many-sided romantic tangle revolves around sophomore Margaret French. Last year she made the rounds with both Purvis Landry and Tommy Thompson (on alternate nights, of course). Sad to relate, she's back in school this season without a single steady pursuer since Landry started screaming "timbe-r-r-r-r" at the very sight of freshman majorette Marion Calendar (spelling not guaranteed) and Thompson commenced to twiddle his thumbs at the moon.

And for making goo-goo eyes in the oldest and most approved manner you can't beat Dynamite "Peaches" Dunn and freshman "Baby" Scherz. Peaches trots to the classroom with "Baby" most every day and then dutifully calls at the end of the period to lug her books to her next rendezvous with education.

A hint as to Curly Hill's newest favorite dancing partner came recently when he showed up at school with a pair of Mexican huaraches with taps—a perfect match for those worn for informal ballroom-floor stomping by Mary Byrd Welsh, blonde blitzkrieg from local terrain.

THIS WEEK'S FEATURE

And beat out a dirge in a very minor key for Joe Gilmore, another neophyte of the summer session who is learning fast about women. Bass-horn Joe (as we shall call exhibit "A") trekked down to summer school this year leaving behind a true love (or so he thought) in the hands of her parents and the city fathers. So sure was he of her faithfulness that he entered into a wager with one Willard Hollenshead (villain No. 1 enters the scene) that aforementioned Holly could not get a date with the fair damsel—even to take her to church! Holly got tangled with the roots of a pine sapling one night and so was able to resign from school and head home to have a fling at winning the bet. Oh, let no living soul proclaim that Willard Hollenshead does things in a half-hearted fashion—he not only dated the gal but he managed to fasten his fraternity pin on her blouse ere the summer was over!

But nothing could discourage Joe the Blow. He picked up another Fair One from the old home town and began corresponding regularly. This one, Nancy Lynn, freshman of this semester, even followed her hero to school at Normal. First night here, though, she wouldn't go out with B-Horn Joe 'cause "she had to unpack." Imagine, then, the surprise of our twice-smitten Romeo when he staged it to a local amusement center only to find that Nancy had preceded him there—in the company of Billy Brown! Pore ole Joe—five bucks and two gals down the drain in a mere two months. Live and learn.

BLACK LAKE LOCHINVAR FINDS MATE

At last, after months of chair-edge sitting by observers of the cardiac vacillations of local students, it may be announced the Waddy Thomley, the Black Lake Lochinvar, has found a mate! Ever since The Current Sauce announced Waddy's affair a la Colline Brasher last spring, relations between he (Waddy) and she (Brasher) have become cooler until at last, with romance wilted in the glare of the public eye (and, incidentally, the uplifted public eyebrow) Waddy has jilted Brasher and proclaims that he is in love with Gwendolyn Sylvest. It happened the other night while the two of them were walking to town. When Cupid struck Waddy fell off the sidewalk three times. Returning home, he says, he couldn't even fit his key into his door. As a final blow he traded off his six best ties to Clarence Crump for one bedraggled four-in-hand from the Crump wardrobe. But Waddy doesn't care 'cause the Black Lake Lochinvar has found his mate.

Religious Groups
Report On Work

NEWMAN NOTES

By Verdie Gremillion

At the regular meeting of the Newman Club Sunday it was announced that initiation would be held on October 11. Time and place of the initiation will be announced through this column at a later date.

An interesting article on education and religion on the college campus was read to the group. An informal quiz followed.

All Catholic students are invited to attend Newman Club meeting every Sunday evening at 6:00 o'clock in the Newman Club house.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

This brisk fall weather will liven up the spirits. So will the brisk new plans of the Wesley Foundation. Several activities already mark the beginning of the program.

First of these was the party for Methodist students at the Methodist church on Friday of Freshman Week. The program, based on the theme of a historical outline of America, was carried out by folk games, an early American scene, songs from the old South, a Spanish dance, and a skit presenting a story of the West in pioneer days.

To guide the Wesley Foundation this year a cabinet of fifteen members has been selected: president, Jane Davis; vice-president, Helen Clay; secretary, Jean Vosburg; treasurer, John Hopper; worship chairman, Betty Rose Kinchen; personnel chairman, Jean Vosburg; world friendship chairman, Virginia Rainer; drama chairman, Evelyn Davis; recreation chairman, Trudy Herron; peace education chairman, Lyvonne Germain; Bible study, Helen Clay; literature and training chairman, Barbara Grisham; church relations chairman, Scriven Pinckard; music chairman, Julia Pace; public relations chairman, Grace King.

Wesley Foundation meets at the church every Sunday morning at 9:45 and every Sunday evening at 6:30. Particularly enjoyable is the "Friendly" at the beginning of these Sunday night services. On Wednesday night at 6:30, in the Chapel, a brief period of meditation is held. Best of all, the Wesley Foundation room in the Religious Center is open at all times. Come in, get a cup of coffee, read the newspapers and magazines, and get acquainted.

We Suggest—

In North Texas State Teachers college a good plan has been used to encourage study before examinations. This plan is known as "Dead Week." The social calendar of the college is to be closed during this period, which is seven days before the beginning of the semester examinations.

The faculty is also asked not to give written examinations other than those concerned with daily lessons; and all themes, notebooks and term projects must be turned in during the last seven days of each semester before the semester examination.

Y.W.C.A. Conducts
Tour of City

The local Y. W. C. A. sponsored a tour of Natchitoches on Thursday afternoon, September 10 for all freshman girls. The college bus afforded transportation for approximately one hundred girls who attended.

All girls going on the tour gathered at the "Y" house at 4 o'clock where "the ice was broken" and everyone got acquainted. Before leaving on the tour, all girls signed the guest book and were refreshed with a cup of punch. Entertainment consisted of folk songs, games, and several talks giving the value of Y.W.C.A.

Miss Charline Kilgore acted as speaker and pointed out the historical and present day places of interest of Natchitoches.

The purpose of this tour was to acquaint the new students of the college with points of the city which will afford them much pleasure and also enter into the molding of their lives while they are students at the college.

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Council Secures Rules Changes

C. P. T. Moved To Lafayette

TO BE RESUMED NOV. 14

Civilian pilot training at the Natchitoches airport has been discontinued for the remainder of the eight weeks' course now in session, it was announced this week by A. T. Browne, faculty director of the local C. P. T. project.

The move was necessitated by construction work involved in the enlargement of the airport. As it proved impossible to secure a suitable auxiliary field in time to meet the present emergency, the students have been transferred to the field at Lafayette, where they will complete their training in the eight weeks' course.

The project is to be resumed here on November 14, with the beginning of another C. P. T. class, Browne said.

Sibley Calls for Conservation of Supplies, Utilities

S. J. Sibley, college business manager, issued a letter this week to the students and employees of the college urging them to carefully conserve all types of equipment belonging to the institution. He also stated that the conservation of heat and electricity is now of extreme importance.

Mr. Sibley pointed out that, "It is impossible now to replace such items as typewriters, adding machines, or any electrical supplies or accessories. In other words, until we win this war, we will be compelled to make out with what we have." He adds that it is the duty of every local student or employee to take care of college equipment since many items cannot be bought at any price.

On the subject of electricity and heat, the college business manager requests students, both to be conservative in their own use of the utilities and to watch for carelessness on the part of others.

NOTICE TO ALL WOMEN STUDENTS

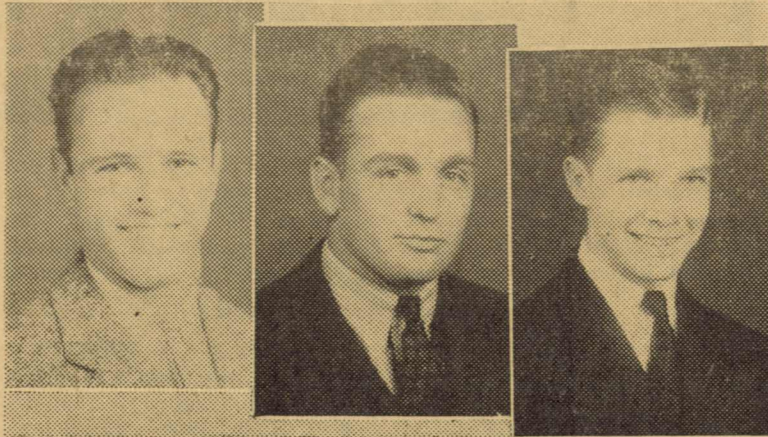
Don't forget the Red Cross Surgical Dressing Room which is open Monday through Thursday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock in Old Social Hall.

If you can possibly spare as much as one and one-half hours at a time from your work, please do your bit by helping with these bandages which are so urgently needed right now.

Girls should wear some kind of head covering (a kerchief will do nicely) and a wash dress. Faculty women in charge will be glad to teach and help you with this work.

Iona Berry
Dean of Women

Leading the Classes



These three students are directing the activities of the upper-classmen at the college this year with class meetings getting under way this week. They are, left to right: Alden Vige, Junior President; Toxie Bourn, Senior leader, and Tommy Thompson, Sophomore head man.

Faculty, Staff Organize War, Community Chest

Formation of a community and war chest fund by the faculty and staff of the college was assured this week when it was announced that 53 members had signed membership blanks and that approximately 20 more had indicated their intentions of joining.

The plan, which is voluntary, calls for deduction of a percentage of salary twice a year, with the amounts so deducted being in charge of a committee representing both faculty and staff. Allocation of amounts to various charity and patriotic drives is to be made on a percentage basis.

Members Listed

Members at present include the following faculty and staff members, listed by surname only: C. Allen, I. Allen, Barclay, Berry, Blair, Bowman, Brown, Browne, Buck, Carnahan, Cooley, Cole, Corley, Cohen, C. Cunningham, E. Cunningham, Dey, Dowty, Duncelman, Eastland, Farrar, Fox, Good, Guier, Hatcher, B. Haupt, H. Haupt, Hankins, Hereford, Jones, Kyser, Lawlis, Marx, Nelken, Odom, Ostlund, Owen, Peters, Pinkston, Pittman, Porter, Robinson, Robson, Rush, Ropp,

Davis Players to Present "Hotel Universe" Oct. 29

Final casting for the Davis Players' fall production, Philip Barry's "Hotel Universe", is being made this week. Tentative date for presentation of the play is October 29. This play is somewhat different from other fall productions in that although it has the length of a three-act play, the curtain remains up during the entire performance.

The following program has been adopted by the club for its 1942-43 season: Fall production — "Hotel Universe"; Winter — a tragedy; early spring—costume play; Late spring — a Shakespearean play production in the Outdoor Theatre.

Officers in the Davis Players this year are: Dennon Holmes, president; Gwendolyn Sylvest, vice-president; Lillian Bell, secretary; Evelyn Davis, reporter.

Senska, Sexton, Saucier, Stovall, Taylor, Turpin, C. Winters, M. Winters, and Winstead.

The plans were made by a committee appointed by Dr. M. S. Pittman, following discussion during the past summer. The first

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Ledet Named Frosh Prexy

Louisiana State Normal's class of '43 held its first meeting at 12:30 Tuesday, September 29, in the Fine Arts auditorium. Presided over by C. M. McSwain, student body head, the meeting turned itself into an election of freshman class officers.

Nominations for the three officers were submitted from the floor, and were voted upon by the frosh, with the following outcome: president, Francis Ledet; vice-president, Juanita Bass; secretary-treasurer, Mildred Courtney.

These three new student leaders assumed the duties of their respective offices immediately upon election, and are to serve for the remainder of the current school year.

Potpourri Ed Ill

E. P. Dobson, editor of the 1943 Potpourri, is in the North Louisiana Hospital at Shreveport, undergoing treatment for an abscessed lung. Dobson became ill last week and was taken to Shreveport by his family following diagnosis by a local physician. His condition was reported better on Tuesday.

GOVERNOR JONES TO ADDRESS STUDENTS AND FACULTY HERE TUESDAY

Governor Sam Houston Jones will address the students and faculty of the college at a special assembly on next Tuesday at 2:00 p. m.

His subject was not announced.

Subscriptions

Faculty and staff members may subscribe to The Current Sauce for fifty cents a semester. Copies will be delivered on Friday morning to faculty boxes or offices, whichever are preferred.

Rudolph Pharis,
Circulation Manager

Late Date Nights; More Date Nights Announced Mon.

Student Center to Open Sunday Mornings

Mrs. Iona Berry, Dean of Women, announced to the members of the Student Council Monday night that the Council's recommendations concerning changes in the rules governing women residing in the dormitories on the campus have been accepted by the administration of the college. The new rules extend date nights for women students to eleven o'clock on Saturday night and increase the number of date nights allowed the resident women.

The changes were made by the college administrative authorities after the Student Council presented recommendations that such action be taken. The Council has been working on the matter since its first meeting on September 14.

Under the revised rulings short date nights have been dispensed with and freshman and sophomore women have been granted full-length date nights on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights. Juniors are allowed Friday, Saturday and Sunday plus one night of their choice during the week. Seniors are allowed two week-nights plus the three week-end date nights. All women students are allowed to remain off-campus until eleven o'clock on Saturday night.

Also upon the suggestion of the Student Council, the Student Center will remain open until 7:45 on week-nights and will be opened from eight until ten o'clock on Sunday morning.

Friday Selected As Regular Sauce Publication Date

After a two-week test of a new publication date the editorial board of The Current Sauce announced this week that the school paper will be published on Friday for the remainder of the year rather than on Thursday as has been the custom in past years.

The new publication date allows closer coverage of week-end news and is generally more convenient. The decision to change the publication date was reached this week after it was found that the change could be arranged with the printer.

CALENDAR

Friday, October 2
Stadium: Football—Sam Houston Teachers College vs. Normal—8:00 p. m.
Saturday, October 3
Old Social: Dinner Dance—Phi Kappa Nu, 8:30-11:45 p. m.
Field House: Student Dance—8:00-10:15 p. m.
Thursday, October 8
Practice Cottage: At Home—4:00-5:30 p. m.

Potpourri to Stage First Annual Beauty Ball Here October 31

POTPOURRI SPONSOR, TWENTY BEAUTIES TO BE PRESENTED

The 1943 Potpourri will stage a Beauty Ball in the college student center here October 31 at which twenty-one girls will be presented as candidates for the beauty section of the annual. The dance, staged this year for the first time, is expected to be an annual affair, Potpourri officials stated this week.

One of the twenty-one girls presented at the Beauty Ball will be designated sponsor of the 1943 Potpourri with the others comprising her court and forming the group from which the ten featured beauties are to be chosen. The sponsor is being chosen by the yearbook staff while her court is to be selected by a special campus committee. Another campus committee will pick ten girls from the sponsor's court for the beauty section of the annual and pictures of these girls will be submitted to some national judge of feminine

pulchritude for ranking.

This is an entirely new plan for presenting the candidates for the beauty section, they having formerly been announced through the columns of The Current Sauce. The 1942 Potpourri gave a dance at the close of the spring semester but this year's feature attraction was not included as a part of the program.

With music furnished by The Swing Kings, local college orchestra, the 1943 Potpourri Beauty Ball will begin at 9:00 p. m. and last until 12:00 midnight.

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The Council Comes Through

It is apparent from the events of the past week that the old idea of a Student Council composed of "dead heads" whose sole accomplishment is attendance at an annual picnic is a thing of the past. At least it should be.

It is not necessarily true that past councils deserved such a reputation. Many of these groups have been very active although their activities were usually either unsuccessful or veiled in secrecy.

In any event it is certainly true that the present Student Council has earned your support and confidence. While it is true, of course, that the rules changes made this week were subject to the approval of the administration and that we should be duly grateful for their co-operation in the matter, it is nevertheless a fact that the Council initiated the action which resulted in the new regulations. Without that action, and incidentally it was quite persistent action, we doubt that the new freedoms would ever have been achieved. Those are the simple facts of the case.

Now that the changes have come about it is the inescapable duty of every student to see that there is no abuse of the privileges so recently extended. In the three weeks since school opened the Council has repeatedly proclaimed that the students of the institution are mature and dependable. If student body reaction to the new situation is not favorable the Council cannot be expected to ever again have enough influence to adequately represent student opinion and wishes to the administrative authorities.

Not that the new set-up is terribly revolutionary or that it threatens the existing standards of the college. There is, though, a bare possibility that greater freedom of action may mean less attention to preparations for classes than has otherwise been the case. Surely no student is so blind that he cannot see the eventual harm which will eventually result from such carelessness.

In short, the Student Council has earned your confidence and that confidence should be expressed by support of the Council and justification of its faith in the student body which it serves.

Tradition vs. the Alphabet

The inmates of penitentiaries and asylums are often given numbers and their places of residence are commonly designated by the letters of the alphabet. Thus if one is mentally or socially below the accepted standards the chances are that he ends up residing in "cell block 'A'". Perhaps this is because penitentiaries and asylums have no traditions—except, of course, unsavory ones.

Educational institutions are usually fairly replete with traditions. Certainly Normal is. Enough tradition, most of it fact, stands behind this college to satisfy the most exacting author of melodramatic collegiate fiction. A great many names have been associated with the institution in these fifty-eight years since it was established. Most of these are names which we should preserve.

Yet, in spite of these facts, freshman and sophomore women students here still hang their belongings in buildings with such unimpressive titles as "A", "B", "C" and "D". Certainly this shows lack of imagination if nothing else.

At least it is a bit incongruous that these four monuments to Phoenician culture should stand in plain view of Varnado, Caldwell, Warren Easton and Caspari.

Probably the four dormitories were erected before there were enough suitable names to avoid giving them such stunning titles. That situation no longer exists and therefore a change should be made. We humbly suggest that such action be taken.

Leaders in Religious Activities



These eight local college students guide the religious activities of the student body. All are presidents of local religious organizations. They are, top, left to right: Miss Anna B. Landry, Newman club; Miss Jane Davis, Wesley Foundation; Miss Janet Shively, Canterbury club; Miss Mary Ellen Caldwell, Y.W.C.A. Below: Miss Gloria Bayard, Freshman commission; J. E. Tullis, Y.M.C.A.; Jewell Watson, Baptist Student Union; Miss Rose McMullan, Westminster club.

Society



By BETTY BELL

Due to circumstances beyond anyone's control the sororities kept up this business of wearing down the resistance of the Fresh-females. Last week three of the gangs pitched formal parties all of which looked plenty good from the crack behind the crack in the screen.

It was anchors aweigh Tuesday night when the rushees went barging around with the Alpha Sigs. The A. S. A.'s were diked out as little sailor boys and everyone had gobs of fun. Billie Cheves made a hit with a hulu number Lillie of Laguna would envy, or maybe Billie's aim's better. Anyhow, it was a grand night aboard and there wasn't a green gill in the crew.

Last Wednesday the D. S. E.'s entertained the Hawaiian way. Getting right down to grass skirts, the swaying and swaying was some of the best. Still along the same curves, there was the photographer who, when peeping through a crack, was heard to inquire who the two dancing daughters of D.S.E. were. Imagine his consternation when the obstruction was removed and only one darling was found to be responsible for all that grass skirt set into motion. Hip, hip, hurrah!

Following rule No. 2, give 'em something to remember you by, the islanders gave their guests cute little identification bracelets. With bait like that to dangle there was never a story of "the one who got away!"

Thursday night old social got its last character make-up of the season. The Tri-Sig put up a colonial front, a few rose trellises and a wishing well and took the potential Geeks to the Ole South. Mint juleps floated around like lemonade—yep, just like it—and the colonel was there, with a croquet mallet in one hand and a long black cigar in the other, to tell 'em just how Grant gypped Lee at Appomatox. Just to make

WESLEY FOUNDATION

Wasn't it Lincoln who said, "You may fool some of the people some of the time, and you may fool all of the people some of the time; but you can't fool all of the people all of the time?"

Sunday night's Wesley Foundation and Friendly prove that a great many people aren't fooled into thinking of church meetings as dull affairs. 'Twas a gay group that gathered around the piano to sing with Julia Pace, Joyce Kilgore, and Jimmy "Give It All You've Got" Lout such songs as "Jingle, Jangle, Jingle", "Wesley Foundation Song", and "Johnny Doughboy". And the game of "Skip to Your Lassie", led by Margie Smith, didn't give anybody time to be bored. Yes, Trudy Herron's "Frindlies" are going over.

Even the serious side of the program wasn't stuffy. John Hopper and Nadyne Fargerson's talks on "What Can a Man Do?" dealt with problems that face us all and about which we can definitely do something.

So here's another invitation to all of *Current Sauce's* readers to do something about their Sunday evenings. Come to Wesley Foundation at the Methodist Church from 6:30 to 7:45 and get in on a merry—and profitable—meeting.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

The campus Y. W. A. will meet next Monday evening at 6:30 in the assembly room of the Religious Center. The town Y. W. A. organizations will be guests. All are urged to be present to hear Miss Virginia Wingo, State Baptist Young People's worker speak. There will be a brief social after the meeting.

The State Baptist Student Convention will be held on this campus October 29-31. Dr. John Miller, medical missionary, who until recently has been a Japanese prisoner, and Dr. Harry Rimmer of New York will be among the well-known speakers.

Y. W. C. A.

"What am I going to do? I have so many meetings that I can't find time to study!"

This is the predicament of the student who has taken on too many extra-curricular activities; and this is just what the Sunday afternoon program at "Y" was intended to prevent.

A clean sweep the Sigmas gave the gals handy little Aunt Jemima whisk brooms.

The question under discussion was, "What organizations shall I join"? After a brief survey of the types of extra-curricular activities on this campus by Mary Ellen Caldwell, an open forum was held. The conclusion reached was this:

Choice of organizations may well be based on a triangle whose sides are the social or physical (such organizations as social sororities and fraternities and Davis Players), the mental (departmental clubs such as the language clubs, commerce club, home economics club, etc.), and the spiritual (denomination and interdenominational organizations).

Sounds fairly simple, doesn't it? Most things do when you talk them over a little. Don't miss these opportunities for group discussion in Y. W. C. A. The deadline for joining up is October 1, and soon after, there will be an initiation of new members.

NEWMAN NOTES

By Verdine Gremillion

At the regular meeting of the Newman Club Sunday evening it was decided that the monthly communion-breakfast of the Newman Club will be the second Sunday of every month rather than the first Sunday as had originally been planned.

The first communion-breakfast of the year will be Sunday, October 11, the day of initiation, which is also Newman Day. Mass will be offered in the Newman Club house on the preceding Thursday.

The principal speaker at the meeting was Mr. Eugene Watson, faculty sponsor of the Newman Club, who gave a very interesting talk on the life of our patron, Cardinal Newman.

We Suggest . . .

A Weekly Feature
Offered by the Y.W.C.A.

In a nearby college, a point system has been established in order to keep students from participating in too many extra-curricular activities. This system applies to all offices held in campus organizations, publications, and classes.

Students who hold offices such as Editor-in-Chief of the college paper, Captain of an Athletic team, or President of the senior class get thirty points. Presidents of any honor society or social club have twenty points to their credit, and all other officers of clubs and organizations are given ten points for their services.

No student may carry more than fifty points a semester.

Demons Play Bearcats Tonight

Intramural Sports Begin This Week

HORSESHOE TOURNNEY FIRST

By ALBERT SAUCIER

The 1942-43 Intramural program for men will get under way October 2. The first event will be horseshoe pitching, in both singles and doubles brackets, according to an announcement by Paul Marx, acting head of the Health and Physical Education department of the college. Entries for these events should not be in any later than October 3.

Following the horseshoe tourney the events will include as follows: table tennis, volley ball, basketball, free throw, swimming, badminton, handball, cross-country run, golf, track, tennis and softball.

The champs in last year's sports events on the campus were: Horseshoe singles—Ralph Hudson, Independent

Horseshoe doubles — Carlton Johnson and Ralph Hudson, Independents

Table tennis — Albert Saucier, Independent

Volleyball—Phi Kappa Nu
Basketball Free Throw — Leo Shelton

Basketball—Victors
Badminton—Billy Bolton
Handball singles—Fay Perkins
Handball doubles—Fay Perkins and Ocie Richie

Cross country run—Ralph McFarland

Golf—John Hopper
Tennis singles—Fay Perkins
Softball—Phi Kappa Nu.

All men students on the campus will be eligible, except those who have engaged in intercollegiate combat in track, basketball and tennis. These men, however, will be permitted to take part in all other events.

The following rules are those which must be abided by in entering the Intramurals:

Eligibility Rules

Section 1. All regularly enrolled students of the Louisiana State Normal College will be eligible to compete in any Intramural Sport, unless otherwise disqualified.

Section 2. Students who have received a varsity letter from the Louisiana State Normal College, or a college of equal rank, are ineligible to compete in that particular Intramural activity in which they have lettered.

Section 3. Students who have played in a varsity contest will be ineligible to participate in that Intramural Sport.

Section 4. Students who have been members of freshman sports squads for one half of the regular season are ineligible to compete in that particular sport.

Section 5. Any team using an ineligible player in a game will forfeit the contest, and the ineligible player will be barred from further competition in all sports for that year.

Section 6. A player who has been participating on a team which has lost may not be drafted by another team.

Section 7. A final in any sport must be played, regardless of the situation, unless a contestant is physically disabled, or special permission is granted by the supervisor.

Section 8. Any athlete who has been declared a professional will be barred from that sport in intramural athletics.

"Doc" Marx



Paul Marx, acting head of the Department of Health and Physical Education announced the opening of the Intramural Sports Program this week. All men students are urged to take part in this year's program.

Bearcats Have Aerial Game To Parry Local Running Attack

NATION STILL ONLY INJURY

By W. E. TIMON

The Demons will be seeking their second victory of the season Friday night when they engage the Sam Houston Bearcats of Huntsville, Texas in Normal Stadium. The kickoff will be at 8:00. The Demons are fresh from a decisive 13-0 victory over the East Texas Lions, and will be gunning for another victory.

ATTENTION, SWIMMERS

If you really can swim why don't you start going somewhere? The natatorium staff is creating two non-profit organizations for swimmers with endurance, The Five Mile Club and The Ten Mile Club. You become a member of the former when you have traveled five miles up and down the pool—a simple matter of swimming 265 laps. You may swim one or twenty laps a day, but whenever the grand total is achieved you are initiated. The pool guard has a form on which your progress is recorded. When you have swum five miles, ten is just around the corner.

The Demons came out of their clash with the Lions in fine shape except for the usual bruises and should be in first-class condition when they take on the Bearcats. Pat Nation, senior tailback who was injured in the L. S. U. game, is still out with a sprained ankle and will not be in condition to play Friday night. The rest of the squad is intact.

Very little is known of the strength of the Sam Houston team. They won a 20-0 victory over Lamar Junior College in a game last week-end, but there is little information to be obtained from this game. It is known that they have a passing combination that seems to click regularly enough. Johnson and Murphy are the two boys who will try to beat the Demons with their aerial blitzkrieg tactics, but the Demon pass defense seems to be improving.

L. S. U. scored three touchdowns against Normal with a passing attack, but this was the first game of the season and they had an exceptionally good passer in Alvin Dark. East Texas' aerial game worked on a few short passes due to some excellent receiving, but one of their passes backfired when Kilpatrick, Demon end, tackled the passer hard just as he was releasing the ball and McDermott, Kilpatrick's running mate, snatched the ball out of the ozone and streaked down the field for a touchdown.

Another heartening factor of the victory over East Texas was the strength of the Demon running attack. It didn't seem to make much difference who carried the ball once the Demons started clicking as all the backs ripped off nice gains time after time in the second half. Carbo especially reeled off plenty of yardage. Scott, Johnson, Benton, Bambrick, Vige, and some of the other backs also gained regularly when called upon.

The Normal line is beginning to shape up as a formidable defense, and should be able to stall a great

Locals Down East Texas, 13-0, In Home Opener

SCOTT, McDERMOTT
SCORE ON LIONS

Scoring once on a break in the second quarter and again on a sustained drive in the third frame the Demons opened their home season with a 13-0 victory over the air-minded Lions of East Texas here Friday night. Ed McDermott, Normal end and alternate captain, scored the first touchdown while Theophile Scott, captain of the local eleven, rang up the concluding tally.

The Texans stayed in the air throughout the game and threatened several times as short passes carried deep into Demon territory but the Purple and White defenses held on every occasion although the invaders went to the local eleven's seven-yard line in a fourth-quarter drive.

McDermott scored the first Normal touchdown of the season when, with the ball in their possession on their own 35-yard line, the Lions elected to pass. Kilpatrick, Demon end tackled the passer as he attempted to get the ball away and McDermott snatched the oval out of the air and raced 25 yards for the score. Davis' attempted conversion was low and wide.

Scott scored from the three-yard line early in the third period after the Normal gridsters staged a powerful 54-yard drive. East Texas took the kickoff opening the second half but couldn't gain and punted to Scott on the Demon 10-yard stripe. The Demon tailback brought the ball back to the 31 and the Turpinites ran up a first down before the Lions held. Benton kicked out to the East Texas 27-yard line. The Commerce eleven lost ten yards on two plays and punted to the Normal 46. From this point the Demons marched down the field to their final tally in six plays.

ATTENTION, SQUARE DANCERS

The W. A. A. is going to sponsor a Square Dance Club for all persons who have had a course in Square Dancing or are familiar with this swinging form of recreation. If you want to get back in the promenade, come to the women's gymnasium Monday, October 5 at 6:45.

portion of the Sam Houston running plays. If the ends will continue to charge as they did at times against East Texas, the passing attack of the Bearcats will also have something to buck up against. So if nothing else happens, this game should at least solve some "ifs" for the Demon supporters.

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Sports

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Demon Dust

By W. E. TIMON

A hearty handshake is extended to Demon gridders McDermott and Kilpatrick for their part in scoring one of the Demon's touchdowns against the East Texas Teachers. Kilpatrick charged in to smear the passer just as he was trying to release the ball. The ball, however, did not follow the intended direction of the passer, and Mr. "Chull" McDermott snatched the ball and unfolded his long legs to race down the field for six points.

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Another heartening factor to Demon supporters was the fancy stepping of Mr. Morris Carbo in the clash with the Lions. Carbo gained plenty of yardage last Friday night after a somewhat jittery start.

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Captain Theophile Scott comes in for some consideration for scoring the second Demon touchdown and slapping down a potential touchdown pass that was heaved in his direction by one of the Lions. Carl Benton, Demon back, played a fine defensive game.

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The game Friday night with Sam Houston should be interesting if for no other reason than the unknown quality of the Sam Houston team. The Demons have not played the Bobcats in several years and their general attack is not known by the locals.

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Mrs. J. E. Bell Dies Here Last Friday

Mrs. Lillian Shackelford Bell, widow of the late James E. Bell, died at an early hour Friday morning, following a stroke suffered the evening before. The daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Shackelford of Jefferson, Texas, Mrs. Bell was born at Jefferson, April 27, 1881.

Survivors are twin daughters, Misses Lillian and Maxine Bell of Natchitoches; a son, Second Lieut. James E. Bell, somewhere in England; a sister, Miss Mary Lee Shackelford of Natchitoches, and two brothers, A. D. Shackelford of Stamford, Texas, and W. A. Shackelford of Jefferson, Texas.

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War Chest—

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regular faculty meeting of the year accepted the report of the committee, members of which were Charles Cunningham, Misses Leora Blair and Minnie Lee Odom, A. T. Browne, and J. S. Kyser. The committee to administer the fund has not been named yet. Regular drives for charity and war funds will be made among non-members by non-members.

Night Classes to Begin at Trade School October 12

Registration for the Night Classes at the Natchitoches Trade School will be held October 5 and 6 at the Trade School. Classes will begin October 12, at 7 p. m. The following courses will be offered, providing enrollment justifies their operation: Mechanical Drawing, Auto-mechanics, Basic Electricity, Machine-shop and Welding.

The Welding Class will run 15 hours per week for a total of 200 hours, and will be conducted under the Vocational Education Program for Defense Workers. Students enrolling for this course will be expected to enter Defense Industries upon completion of the course.

NEW ROUTINE FOR SCHEDULING PARTIES OUTLINED

To speed up the process of scheduling parties a new routine has been worked out by the Department of Student Welfare. A form to be prepared in duplicate is to be obtained in Room C16, and after it has been properly filled in, with the exception of the date, the form is to be returned for the approval of the Director of Student Welfare. Then it is to be taken to the Dean of Women for her approval. If approved by the Dean of Women she will retain one copy, and the other copy will be returned to the office file in C16.

Small parties are to have one or more chaperons, and formal parties are to have three or more. All chaperones are to be provided with forms on which they may report the party from the standpoint of constructive criticism. Filling the report is optional.

Small parties should be arranged three days, and formal parties five days, before the event is to take place. The policy of first come first served will be followed in arranging dates, and groups are urged to arrange their dates as early as possible.

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KNOX AND STIMSON FAVOR ENGLISH STUDY

Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox and Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson recently informed the College English Association that the study of English is very important to the war effort.

Secretary Knox wrote in part, "Much less obvious (than scientific or vocational training) is the present need of the Navy for competence in the use of the English language. And yet I would go so far as to say that the ability to use clear, concise, and forceful English in speech and in writing underlies and reinforces efficiency in any and all branches of the Naval Service."

Secretary Stimson called for a "vastly increased emphasis on those studies having a special bearing on our War effort, rather than a reduction of effort on basic studies such as English." He continued, "In war, as in peace, the ability to report facts and express ideas clearly is an important attribute of the leader in every field of action."

JUNIOR DRAMATICS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Junior Dramatics Club held its first meeting Monday to elect new officers. After a short talk by Miss Annetta L. Wood, sponsor of the club, and director of Dramatics on the campus, the following officers were elected: A. C. Willis, president; Ruth Morphis, vice-president; Betty Reynolds, secretary-treasurer; Roger Sherman, reporter; and Cecil Clark, sergeant-at-arms.

All students are eligible to become members.

FRESHMAN WOMEN TO SPONSOR SWIMMING MEET

The freshman women students of the college will sponsor an inter-class swimming meet, under the supervision of Miss Elizabeth Ostland, on October 16. Further information concerning this event will be available for publication next week.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Essential in the equipment of every Soldier, Sailor, Marine or Flyer is a first aid kit, consisting of bandages and antiseptics for instantaneous use. These materials are packed into a compact box and cost about \$1.50 each.



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Here we come with Lesson Three in the current series on How to Lose Friends and Influence People to Start Throwing Things. After a hectic week of dodging the irate victims of Lesson Two we feel a bit on the conservative side this issue but duty calls and so will the nearest unobtrusive spot when this column becomes public property.

NEOPHYTE TREADWELL: HER LIFE AND LOVES A NASTY OLD RUMOR

No introduction is required to this week's Subject No. 1 as she has already announced herself (both vocally and mechanically) to the college and all save the deafest citizens of Natchitoches. To begin in the middle, Neophyte Treadwell, otherwise known as "Southern Belle", "Steamboat", "Foghorn", etc. Treadwell, made a ghastly mistake last week which starts her off on the list of "People Who Shouldn't Oughta Have Doneit". A certain local gentleman, known to friends and others alike as Alan Bienvenu, went and, chumplike, asked our subject for a date—or so 'tis rumored around. Came the occasion and the time and there was Alan, probably all slicked up, sitting in the appointed place waiting, with baited (?) breath and an eight-to-the-bar pulse, for young Treadwell to breeze in. We can just picture him as he sat there—first excited, then hopeful, then doubtful. In our imagination we can see him as he reached this last stage. Suddenly a raucous croak, as from a tugboat in the throes of the death struggle, is wafted to his ears and hope is dead. She ain't a coming. Probably, our informers say, 'cause she was too busy selling tickets to Kansas City on the "Southern Belle." Old ugly rumor would have it that Cotton Meagher is Chief Engineer with Tommy Bambrick stoking the fires. "Git on board, little chillun" is the order of the day. Venomous, aren't we?

A quick check on the members of Phi Mu Alpha reveals them as the original "act first and think later" boys. Of the large number of the Brothers of Corn who have distributed their frat pins around to the billowing blouses of countless members of the weaker sex, only one, just one, Don Mike Stothart, has managed to prevent the return of his pin.

And just in case you haven't noticed, Curtis Guillet and Kitty Bordelon entered school this summer with closed season already declared on the both of them since they declared open season on romance in Alexandria these many moons gone by.

And who was the wag who suggested this week that the entire nation will not collect as much junk in the next three weeks of campaigning as did the local sororities last week when they issued bids to the current crop of freshman women. Incidentally here's our sternest frown to the person responsible for our not knowing what pledged which in the aforementioned bidding.

Don't fail to note that on your list of possible twosomes you should place H. B. Burley and Matsye Mae Austin who are spending Burley's Tuesday night date nights together again after spasmodic attempts at steadying it last year.

THE REVENGE OF JOE THE BLOW

Cancel that dirge for Joe Gilmore, whose women troubles were exposed in this column last week, and substitute something frivolous like, "Whose Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf." If you are one of those well-nigh-extinct creatures, a Regular Reader, you will recall that Joe lost his first love to Willard Hollenshead this summer as the result of a bet. You may also remember that he lost his second love soon after that but that ain't important. What is of consequence is the fact that, stirred perhaps by our exposure of his troubles, Joe invaded Homer last week-end and it appears that First Love is now back on the beam, with the return of Willard Hollenshead's frat pin imminent. In short, the worm, with his backside stinging from public opinion, has turned—a maneuver quite uncommon to worms—and Willard Hollenshead is now outside looknig in. We're expecting Holly to go out and tangle with another pine sapling just any night now just so he can go home for a "rest cure" and try to get the load of that frat pin back off his chest.

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Jean Simmons Named State Fair Queen

Band Will Go to State Fair Game

College officials announced Tuesday that the Normal Demon band will travel to Shreveport for the Demon-Bulldog football game. It was previously announced that the band would be unable to make the trip because of difficulty in securing transportation for the group.

The local musical organization will leave the campus by Interurban bus Saturday morning at 7:45 and is scheduled to return to the campus Saturday night.

The trip is being financed by the college.

The Normal band will stage a between-halves show at the game as in previous years and the band from Louisiana Tech is also expected to appear.

Youths 18 and 19 Will Be Drafted In December

Hearings by Congress on the bill to draft 18 and 19 year olds are being speeded in order to begin calling up these youths in December.

General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, has told the Senate Military committee the army would send home men considered as physically unfit, weeding out present soldiers considered incapable of carrying the terrific burden of modern war, and was investigating the possibility of releasing numbers of older men when the youths enter the service.

Community Chest Formed at Normal

Eighty members of the Louisiana State Normal College faculty and administrative staff have joined the Normal faculty and staff community and war chest fund, it was announced this week by Miss Leora Blair, chairman of the administrative committee.

Members of the faculty and administrative staff at the college who have joined the community and war chest are: L. J. Alleman, Clio Allen, Inez Allen, Mamie Bowman, Leora Blair, Mrs. John Barclay, Mrs. Iona Berry, Mrs. C. W. Boydston, Helen Buck, H. A. Brown, A. T. Browne.

Miriam Carver, Mrs. Lucille Carnahan, Lee Cook, Esther Cooley, Mrs. Louise Cole, Dorothy Cohen, G. J. Corley, Mrs. Elia Culp, Charles Cunningham, E. Cunningham, Dwight Davis, Mrs. Pearl David, Edna Dey, Dorothy Dowdy, Clarence Dugdale, Mrs. Ruby Duncelman, N. A. Durham.

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Camella Johnson, Pauline Johnson, Laura B. W. Jones, John Kyser, Mrs. Will Lawlin, Paul Marx, Walter Mason, S. W. Nelson, Helen Newman.

Minnie Lee Odom, Elizabeth Ostlund, Margaret Owen, Mrs. A. C. Owen, Mrs. Iver Peters, Debbie Pinkston, M. S. Pittman, Betty Porter, H. Lee Prather, Mary Robinson.

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Famous Baritone To Open Lyceum Season Monday

NO CHARGE TO STUDENTS FOR TYERS' CONCERT

John Tyers, brilliant young American baritone, will be presented in concert in the college auditorium on Monday, October 19, by the Lyceum committee in co-operation with the Natchitoches Co-operative Concerts Association.

All students of the college may attend, admission being gained by presenting activity booklets. The only other requirement is that they be appropriately dressed for the occasion. In addition to the students, members of the Concert Association will attend. No tickets will be sold as this is a membership affair; but newcomers to Natchitoches may join the association.

Born in San Diego, California, Tyers graduated from State College there in 1936, after a college career which included singing roles in college productions and membership on the varsity football, basketball, and swimming teams. Later he studied in New York at the Juilliard School of Music. His musical career has included a nation-wide tour singing the opera "The Marriage of Figaro."

Featured on Radio Program

During the past summer he was featured on the CBS network in the program "Stars of the Opera", the while appearing in St. Louis in "Show Boat," "Roberta," "Sweethearts," and "The Desert Song" with the St. Louis Summer Opera. Mrs. Lilian Gerow McCook of the college music faculty had the pleasure of hearing him sing and of making his acquaintance during the summer.

CALENDAR

Friday, October 16

Field House: Lambda Zeta Dance—8:30-11:00 p. m.

Swimming Meet and Aquatic Group Formations—Natatorium—7:00 p. m.

Saturday, October 17

Old Social: Sigma Tau Gamma Dance—8:00-12:00 p. m.

Monday, October 19

Auditorium: Community Concert—John Tyers—8:00 p. m.

COUNCIL WILL ENTERTAIN TECH SENATE AT LUNCHEON IN SHREVEPORT, OCTOBER 24

The Student Council will entertain the Student Senate of Louisiana Tech at a luncheon in Shreveport Saturday, October 24, the day of the football game between the Demons and the Bulldogs. This is in accordance with a custom established last year when the Ruston student group played host to the local Council in a similar manner.

Mary Katherine Griffin, Student Association secretary-treasurer, invited the Tech Senate to the affair in a letter mailed two weeks ago. No answer has been received as yet.

Euthenics Club Initiates Seven

The Euthenics club met at 6:30 on Wednesday, October 7, in S-300 for the fall initiation program. Those initiated at this time were: Virginia Rayner, Lanell Wilson, Bonnie Jean Morrow, Rosemary Watts, Melba Ruth Reeve, Voncille Williams and Eileen Addison.

The room was attractively decorated with flowers of yellow and lavender, the club colors, and tasty punch and cookies were served at the end of the meeting.

Officers of the Euthenics club for 1942-43 are Sadie Grezaffi, president; Marie Porche, vice-president; Stella Susan Edgerton, secretary; Helen Clay, treasurer; and Verna Lou Barnes, reporter. Regular meetings are held on alternate Wednesdays at 6:30 in S-300. The next meeting is scheduled for October 21.

Freshmen Women Have Swimming Meet Tonight

Three freshman women's swimming classes will stage a triangular water meet tonight in the college natatorium, beginning at 7:00 p. m. The meet is being sponsored by the Women's Athletic Association.

With the three teams being designated as "Red", "White", and "Blue", the first-year women will compete in races, form swimming contests and novelty relays. Elizabeth Wardlow will act as manager for the White team with Jean Philibert sponsoring the Blue squad and Willie Edna Tarbutton managing the Red group.

As a feature attraction, members of the advanced Aquatic Group will perform between events of the meet.

The members of the advanced aquatic group who will do formation and synchronized swimming are: Marian Chapman, Anna Lee Colle, Barbara Hussey, Susan Jones, Martha Cogswell, Roland Hussey, Bobby Doell, Billy Brown, William Welch, and Roger Sherman.



LEE M. LOCKHART Author of Music Text to Lecture Here Tuesday

Lee M. Lockhart, noted author, teacher and composer of the Lockhart Band Class Methods, will give a series of demonstration-lectures at the Louisiana State Normal College here on Tuesday, Oct. 20, under the auspices of the State Department of Education, Sherrod Towns, head of the department of music at the college, announced this week.

His appearance here next week will mark the second time Mr. Lockhart has been on the local college campus, his first trip having been in 1939. A band master in World War I, Mr. Lockhart has been on the staffs of several outstanding colleges and universities in the country and covered the entire United States in a series of lectures over a two-year period.

At present director of music at the Black-Foxe Military Institute, Mr. Lockhart holds the A. B. degree from Colorado State college and the M. A. from the University of Pittsburgh and studied for a year in Europe. His materials for training learners of music is in general use in the United States.

Music teachers in surrounding parishes have been invited to attend the demonstration-lectures here next week, Mr. Towns stated this week. The one-day program is as follows:

9-10:30—The Technique of the Rehearsal Laboratory Group

10:30-11:00—Intermission

11-12—Discussion of materials for the beginning group

12-1:30—Intermission

1:30-3:00—Discussion of materials for the intermediate and advanced groups

2:00-3:00—Further steps in rehearsal technique laboratory group

4:00-5:00—The place of the Instrumental Music Program in our schools in a World at War.

A. A. U. W. TO MEET OCT. 26

Members of the American Association of University Women are reminded that the regular third-Monday meeting will be postponed until October 26 because of conflict with the Cooperative Concert presentation.

Ten Maids Also Chosen to Reign Over Grid Game

Miss Jean Simmons, junior from Shreveport, was selected late yesterday to reign as queen of the annual football game to be held at the State Fair in Shreveport, October 24, between the Demons and the Bulldogs of Louisiana Tech.

Also named were ten other local girls who will form the queen's court at the affair. The eleven coeds will be presented to the spectators just before the beginning of the game.

The ten maids are as follows:

Juanita Craig
Margaret French
Norma Ruth Holcombe
Virginia Leete
Noella Lyons
Virginia Lea Marmande
Annie Sue Miller
Myrtis Simpson
Mary Jean Swift
Marjorie Warner

The queen and her court were selected by a special campus committee and are sponsored by The Current Sauce.

Potpourri Has No Photographer Yet

Officials of the 1943 Potpourri announced this week that as yet no photographer has been secured to take class pictures for the annual but that negotiations are under way at present which should close the matter in the near future.

Action and feature pictures are being made by Don Mike Stothart, business manager of the hart, business manager of the yearbook, and Curtis Guilette, student photographer.

George Atkinson, Minden photographer who took pictures for the 1940, 1941 and 1942 Potpourri is unable to take the job this year due to a shortage of help in his studio.

Announcement of the arrival of a photographer will be made promptly and all students are urged to have their pictures made early as the photographer will be here for a limited time only. All students may have class pictures made by paying the one dollar photographic fee if they have not already done so.

CAST SELECTED FOR "HOTEL UNIVERSE"

The Davis Players this week completed casting for their fall production, "Hotel Universe", by Philip Barry. Rehearsals were begun immediately upon selection of the cast, under the direction of Annetta L. Wood.

The three-act play is scheduled for October 29, with the following cast: Pat Farley, Charles Roberts; Stephen Field, James Taylor; Norman Rose, Dennen Holmes; Ann Field, Virginia Leete; Lily Malone, Betty Bell; Tom Ames, Vernon Warren; Hope Ames, Gwendolyn Sylvest; Alice Kendall, Peggy Myers; and Felix, James Craton.

Editorials and Features

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1942

On Behalf of Digestion

One recent occurrence which has caused an unusual amount of "griping" among the students is the rather arbitrary manner in which boys have been assigned seats in the dining hall.

Two features of the new set-up are especially obnoxious to local men: the "yours not to reason why" attitude of dining hall officials and the fact that men students have not been allowed to change with **one another**.

Possibly, in view of the shortage of men at the college, it is advisable to distribute them throughout the dining hall in a manner which will make for more balanced groups at all tables. However, we doubt that there is any very good reason for refusing permission for individuals to change places. It hardly seems important that any one particular man should sit at any particular table. Granted that one or two pairs of trousers should be present at each table, we cannot find a single good reason for refusing any seating arrangement desired by the students so long as it does not disturb the basic pattern of arrangement according to sex.

In any event, it would make for harmony if dining hall officials would at least make a statement in regard to the matter. Students are reasonable when given some facts to reason with.

Two Sides to the "Soldier Problem"

During the past two weeks the presence of large numbers of soldiers on the campus has led to several unpleasant incidents. Nothing serious has occurred but there have been quite a few annoying occurrences which should, if possible, be avoided in the future.

It would seem that the time has come for some definite policy in regard to the presence here of the men of the nation's armed forces. Possibly the college has already outlined an "official stand" on the matter but even the students should now attempt to define the proper attitude in playing hosts to these strangers.

We feel that this is not a difficult task. Those soldiers who conduct themselves as is "proper", as ordinary Americans with the usual amount of decency and common sense, surely are, and should be, welcome to the campus at all times. There are many of this kind.

On the other hand those who refuse to recognize the campus at anything save a convenient spot to display their strength of stomach and weakness of head, and to make themselves completely obnoxious at the same time, are quite definitely not wanted.

In other words, our attitude toward soldiers should be based upon their display of breeding or lack of the same.

At the same time it might be well to take a peek at our own linens. We have far less respect, for instance, for the girl who deliberately encourages a soldier to chat through a dormitory window than we do for the young man who is so encouraged. We have still less respect for the girls who insist upon flirting with a lonesome stranger on the streets at night and then run screaming to the nearest official when he offers to buy them a coke and walk them home.

Your writer has no desire to sit as a judge of morals. If those young ladies who reside in the club wish to flirt, that is their business. But if, as a result of their own actions, they find themselves in the company of some young man whom they do not find attractive or, perhaps, even polite then let them handle the situation as best they can.

We know that in several cases insignificant but definitely unpleasant "incidents" have resulted from the desire of local women students to "have their cake and eat it too." This attitude simply is **not fair**.

If we will play the game ourselves then we can judge our visitors without any doubt as to the origin of any undesirable occurrences. In no other way may we be both hospitable and duly jealous of our own right to privacy.

These Normal Coeds



. . . are definitely not "all wet" as they help Uncle Sam's scrap drive along by fishing for abandoned scrap in Cane River Lake. Ruth Hochenadel, cheerleader, and Ann Smith, number one Potpourri beauty of 1942, are shown helping Ralph Ropp, son of faculty member R. L. Ropp, and Billy Wiggins, brother of former grid star Parker Wiggins, drag an old marine engine from its watery resting place.

FRATERNITIES RUSH AS BETTY BELL FAIL AGAIN

Regular (?) Society Editor, Betty Bell, having become entangled in the octopus-like tentacles of a Davis Players production, I, Joe Buckston, will undertake to fill the gap this week with a bit of chatter about the men of the Greek world.

In the first place (not really, just a figure of speech) there are the Phi Kappa Nu's who left the mark quite quickly this year and chunked their annual rush dance Saturday, October 3. Those who went have nothing but praise for the ability of the boys to entertain. The theme was military and the food was good . . . so was the dancing.

The other two fraternities are crowding each other to the wire with the Lambda Zetas entertaining their rushees at a dance tonight and Sigma Tau Gamma feeding and frolics with their young hopefuls tomorrow night. The Lambda Zeta affair is to be in the Student Center and the Taus are scheduling their function for upstairs, old social.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

Another page of Wesley Foundation's history was written this week. The Campus-Church Relations committee held its first meeting of the college year on Sunday night. This committee supervises the Methodist student work on the Normal campus. It is composed of two members of the college faculty who belong to the Methodist church, two members of the local church, and two students from the Wesley Foundation.

Officers were elected as follows: chairman, Miss Catherine Winters; treasurer, Mr. George L. Parks; secretary, Miss Jane Davis. Other members of the committee are Dr. Marvin S. Pittman, Mr. H. L. Barr, Mrs. W. T. Cunningham, John Hopper, Reverend Carl F. Lueg, pastor of the local church, and Miss Mamie Chandler, director of the Wesley Foundation.

This committee, like all other groups in Wesley Foundation, is eager to forward the local Methodist student work and joins in asking all Methodist students to share in the fellowship of the local church and young people's group.

Y. W. C. A.

Virginia Cook gave a very effective talk on the topic, "Love is Supreme" in Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon.

After the program, a short business meeting was held in which committees of the Senior Officers met and made new plans. Y.W.C.A. is concentrating its efforts toward promoting the Red Cross drive of making bandages for wounded soldiers. Girls who are willing to help are asked to go to upstairs of Old Social on any of the following days from 2 to 4:30:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

We Suggest . . .

Mount Holyoke College, Holyoke, Massachusetts, has recently organized a new club which is called the "International Relations Club." Carrying on an unbiased and unprejudiced study of current world problems. The International Relations Club discusses in its semi-monthly meetings questions of international interest and concern. During the past year the main subject of discussion was "The Relationships of European Nations." The aim of this group is to defend and strengthen democracy.

Isn't this idea worth imitation elsewhere?

ABSENTEE REPORT FOR WEEK

OCT. 5-10, 1942

206 students absent from classes
—23.5 per cent of student body
61 men
145 women

73 Freshmen—27.6 per cent of Class
60 Sophomores—25.6 per cent of Sophomore Class
40 Juniors — 22.6 per cent of Junior Class
33 Seniors — 16.6 per cent of Senior Class

206

91 ill—44.4 per cent of absentees
24 pre-arranged absences—11.6 per cent of absentees
36 justified — 17.4 per cent of absentees
31 not justified—15 per cent of absentees
8 extra-curricular activities—3.8 per cent of absentees
9 errors in reports — 4.4 per cent of absentees
7 tardy—reported as absent—3.3 per cent of absentees

206

444 class hours missed
52 called in for conference
27 reported tardy

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Composing the Nucleus



. . . . of the 1942 Demon football team are these gridmen who are all signed up in Uncle Sam's reserve corps. They are, front row, left to right, McDermott, Scott, Gerson, Bollier, B. Eason, Carlin, Johnson, Bambrick, Meagher. Middle row: Southerland, Kilpatrick, Tinsley, Benton, Lutgring, Stiles, Dunn. Back row: Clawson, Hanchey, Nicosia, Tripp, Prather, Vige.

Demon Dust

By W. E. TIMON

The Demons appear to have the best of the teams from the Lone Star State. They have defeated both the East Texas Lions and the Sam Houston Bearcats by decisive scores. Normal supporters are now hoping for an exhibition of similar nature against the members of the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference. The Demons open their conference schedule in their annual State Fair game with Louisiana Tech on October 24.

Normal flashed a passing attack the other night in their game with Sam Houston which netted two of their touchdowns. The Demons running attack has been working very nicely in previous games when the Demon quarterbacks rarely called a pass, but now that their aerial tactics form a threat to the opposition the running attack should work better than ever.

The Normal running game and their new-found passing attack look good, but one department of the Demons' play that still leaves something to be desired is the punting. The punting in the L. S. U. game was necessarily shorter than it could have been because of the necessity of punting out of bounds, and the punting average in the next two games was greater, but there is still lots of room for improvement.

The Demons have an open date before their game with the Bulldogs of Louisiana Tech. All the supporters of the locals are hoping Coaches Turpin and Brown can cook up plenty of trouble for the Rustonites. Last year after a three-year reign by Normal, the Bulldogs' bite turned out to be as bad as their bark always has been, and they triumphed over the Demons, but this year another chapter is to be written, and this writer and a wealth of fans hope it is a Demon hand that weilds the pen.

This has been one year when Normal has come through their first few games without one or more of their top-flight players being dogged by the old injury jinx. Pat Nation, who received a sprained ankle in the opening game, and has been out ever since, is the only Demon that has been held out of a game because of injuries.

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FRONT STREET

Lafayette Squad Leading L. I. C.

(L.I.C. Release) — The Southwestern Louisiana Institute Bulldogs grabbed the lead in the 1942 Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference race last week when they defeated the Southeastern Louisiana college Lions of Hammond, 35 to 13, in the opening game of the circuit at McNaspy Stadium in Lafayette.

Bob Voitier of Opelousas, who probably played his last game of the season before reporting for navy duty, sparked the Bulldogs in their victory over the Lions when he dashed 83 yards in the first quarter for the first touchdown a few minutes after he had spurred 40 yards to set the stage for a field goal kicked by Bickham. The second touchdown for the Bulldogs was made in the first frame by Bickham who intercepted a pass and raced 45 yards for a marker.

With the Bulldogs leading 16 to 0 at the end of the first quarter, the Lions came back to push over a touchdown in the second frame and a second in the third quarter to bring the score to 16-13. A 72-yard run by Ney Williams, half-back, put the Bulldogs out of danger in the third quarter and touchdowns by Fitzgerald and Peckon in the fourth quarter placed the game on ice for the Lafayette eleven.

Louisiana Tech and Louisiana Normal, the other members of the state conference this year, came through last week to take easy victories over non-conference foes, the Tech eleven defeating the 'Big Green' of Marshall college, Huntington, W. Ca., 26 to 0, at Ruston, and the Demons swamping the Camp Beauregard eleven of Alexandria, 68 to 0, at Natchitoches. Both elevens will open their 1942 race for the L. I. C. crown in their annual classic at the State Fair in Shreveport on Oct. 24.

This week will see the Tech Bulldogs playing Sam Houston Teachers of Huntsville, Tex., at Ruston, the Southeastern Lions meeting the Camp Beauregard army team at Hammond, and the Southwestern Bulldogs clashing with the Ouachita college Lions of Arkadelphia, Ark., at Lafayette. All three games will be played Friday night. The Louisiana Normal Demons will be idle this week for the first time since they opened the season four weeks ago against the Old Lou Tigers.

Demons Trounce Camp Beauregard Eleven, 68 to 0, in Game on Normal Field Here Last Week

Local Collegians Meet Tech Bulldogs At State Fair in Shreveport Next Week

Following their walloping of the Camp Beauregard eleven of Alexandria, 68 to 0, last week, the Louisiana State Normal college Demons will enjoy their first open date this week since they opened the 1942 grid season a month ago against the Old Lou Tigers.

Sports Carnival Opens W.A.A. Year

The Women's Athletic Association its 1942-43 season of activities with a sports carnival in the women's gym Saturday afternoon, October 3. A large crowd of local women students participated in the afternoon's activities.

Julia Collier led the group in scoring with Marjorie Barre running a close second in contests which called for a variety of abilities ranging from marksmanship to lung power.

Peanuts and pink lemonade were served to blunt exercise-whetted appetites.

Under the capable leadership of Janet Shively, president of the organization, the W. A. A. Cabinet sponsors a large variety of activities for local women. The only trait required for membership is "the ability to have fun." All women students are urged to contact a member of the Cabinet as soon as possible in order that they may be enrolled in the sports program.

In addition to Shively, officers for the 1942-43 session include Mailra Murphy, vice-president, and Ida Simpson, secretary. Tarbutton directs ping-pong, archery and basketball while Thelma Presley conducts speedball and tennis. Marie Miller is in charge of softball, badminton, and tennis-quoits.

Already under way is volley ball practice and the Outing Club, both under the guidance of Marjorie McLeod. Charline Kilgore has begun aquatic activities with swimming under way and canoeing scheduled to begin later in the year.

Other than those sports mentioned, the W. A. A. also sponsors a Square Dance Club and the Freshman Women's Swimming meet which is to be held in the college natatorium tonight.

Demons Win from Sam Houston, 26-7

The Demons registered their second victory of the season Friday night, October 9, when they triumphed over the Bearcats of Sam Houston by a score of 26-7. The Demons signal-callers interspersed two well-executed passes with two strong running plays to account for the four touchdowns scored by the Normalites.

Normal scored their first touchdown the second time they had possession of the ball. The drive was started after Benton had returned a punt eleven yards to the Demon 29. The Demons made three successive first downs to place the ball on the Sam Houston 17, where the Bearcats received a five-yard penalty to move the ball to the 12. From this point, Bambrick, Normal fullback, crashed

The Demons are scheduled to open their 1942 race for the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference crown next week when they meet the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs of Ruston at the State Fair in Shreveport on October 24. The tilt will mark the fifth of the season for the Normal eleven.

In beating the army team here last week, the Demons piled up 510 net yards from scrimmage for a total of 13 first downs, at the same time holding the soldiers to a minus three yards from scrimmage and two first downs. The Demons tried five passes last week against the army eleven, all of them falling incomplete. The Beauregard soldiers tossed 10 passes, with one completed for 11 yards and four intercepted, two good for touchdowns.

Coaches Harry Turpin and Alvin Brown used their entire squad in the fray last week with the result that the second and third stringers showed almost as much punch as the first eleven started by the Demon mentors.

Captain Scott of Natchitoches started the scoring for the Demons when he skirted left end for 30 yards in the early minutes of the first quarter. Morris Carbo tore off the longest run in the game when he got loose on the Normal 36-yard stripe after an army punt had placed the oval on the Demons' 26-yard ribbon and raced 72 yards for a marker.

Carbo later in the game got loose for two more touchdowns to boost his score to three for the game. Arie, freshman back, intercepted two of the army's passes for touchdown strides, and Rhodes, Clawson, McSwain and Vige, each got a touchdown in the tilt. Davis broke through in the third quarter to throw an army back for a safety and two points.

through on the first play for the touchdown. Davis' try for the extra point was blocked.

The second touchdown came after the Bearcats had lost the ball on a fumble on their 15. Carbo carried the ball to the five yard line in two plays from where Benton drove over for a touchdown. Davis' try from placement was wide. The first quarter ended with the score still 12 to 0.

The locals added another six-pointer in the second quarter when a 50-yard drive was culminated by a seven-yard scoring pass from Morris Carbo to wingman Albert Gerson. A nineteen-yard pass from Bambrick to Kilpatrick was the longest gain in this drive. Davis made his try for extra point good this time and the half ended 19 to 0 in the Demons' favor.

After a scoreless third quarter during which the Demons were stopped by 15 yard penalties twice, the score was ballooned to 26 to 0 in the fourth quarter. The tally was made this time when Vige dashed 16 yards after receiving a 25-yard pass from Benton.

Community Chest

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Palma Robinson, R. L. Ropp, Florence Rush, Nellie Senska, Corinne Saucier, Nancy Sexton, Jack Sandlin, G. J. Shehane, Thera Stovall, Frances Sibley, Evelyn Taylor, Mary Jo Terrill, Harry Turpin, W. W. Wilson, R. W. Winstead, Catherine Winters, and Mary Winters. Members of the administrative committee appointed this week by President Joe Farrar to manage the fund are, in addition to Miss Blair, Alvin Good, R. L. Ropp, A. M. Hopper, Florence Rush, Charles Cunningham and Minnie Lee Odom.

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NOTICE TO ALL WOMEN STUDENTS

Don't forget the Red Cross Surgical Dressing Room which is open Monday through Thursday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock in Old Social Hall.

If you can possibly spare as much as one and one-half hours at a time from your work, please do your bit by helping with these bandages which are so urgently needed right now.

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Dr. Dugdale, Miss Wood Named
Official Delegates to Meet
In Shreveport

The Louisiana State Normal College faculty joined the Louisiana State Teachers Association 100 per cent at a meeting of the faculty held in the Visual Education room of the Library, Monday at 4 p. m.

Dr. C. E. Dugdale, head of the department of languages, and Miss Annetta L. Wood of the speech department, were named official delegates to the 1942 convention of the state association of teachers to be held in Shreveport on November 22 to 25.

Alternate delegates named are N. B. Morrison, head of the department of commerce, A. L. Ducournau of the chemistry department, and Robert Easley of the commerce department.

Many members of the State Normal College faculty will appear on the programs of departmental meetings at the convention and the choral club under the direction of Walter Mason will sing at the vesper services at the convention, officials here stated this week.

Subscriptions

Faculty and staff members may subscribe to The Current Sauce for fifty cents a semester. Copies will be delivered on Friday morning to faculty boxes or offices, whichever are preferred.

Rudolph Pharis,
Circulation Manager



Hello again. Ah what fun we've had resting this past week! And what fun you seem to have been having—slipping around behind our back just because we weren't looking. However there are a few good friends who've freshened our memories and tickled our fancies with a few morsels so we're passing them on to you.

WINDERWEELER-PROVENZANO MERGER ANNOUNCED

Dog Bailey Winderweeler is as yet just a bit unused to the "backwards" nature of Normal as evidenced by his actions at the dance Saturday night. Most boys think nothing of girls' tag or even "backwards dating" but Winderweeler is strictly old school. Well anyway, here's our hero, tripping the light fantastic in the most approved manner (Don Mike Stothart take note) when he was literally set upon by your and my little Annie Rooney Provenzano. Young Ann, as we shall henceforth affectionately call her, informed Young Bailey W. that he was on the verge of escorting her back to the dormitory come "Good Night Ladies" time. So dead set against this reversal of time-honored custom was Bailey that he excused himself and fled, but precipitately, from the dance, ending up under his dormitory bunk. Friends, relatives and the family physician finally coaxed him out in time to make his first period class Monday morning.

Memories of Old Normal Hill keep calling back several of those students who graced these verdent slopes last year as evidenced by the recent and frequent visits of Nell Nabours, Eleanor Ramsey and Warren Allen to the old familiar scenes. On the other hand, it might be less memory and more Toxie Bourn, Bob Jordan and Myrtis Simpson, respectively, that have occasioned the recent invasions.

And a romance of great potentialities seems to be that of the Swing King's Milt Chapman and Milt Chapman's Mary Lester. With the affair already well into the hand-holding and Sunday-night-movie-date stage, your reporter won't be a bit surprised if another Phi Mu Alpha pin goes the Way of All Chumps very shortly.

Some freshmen catch on quick as evidenced by one's observation that coffee ain't the only thing that's fresh when dated!

Storm warnings are hereby hoisted for cute first-year Nancy Lynn who started the week by taking "Puppy" Love to church and is slated to date Sonny Thomas tonight. We wonder who'll be taking her to church next Sunday night.

Paging Carl Benton: "Stinky" Davis and Melba Jean Pope are making it generally known that these several years of constant spooning has come to naught and they're calling it definitely quits.

And Millard Hudson calls attention to the disgustingly calfish look in John Isam Beard's eyes these days as a result of a few glances from the fascinating orbs of freshman Fanny Lyons. Personally, we got a feeling Fanny's foolin'. Ouch!

One of those "and Jill came tumbling after him" affairs is that of H. B. Burley and Matsye Mae Austin who are swinging their way into one another's heart and having a rough old time of it. 'Twas several nights ago that Burley and Matsye went a-swingin' in the park. Treacherous things, those park swings. The boat got rocked and Burley hit the ground with Matsye right behind—and atop—him. Three rough football games had failed to injure the Haynesville hot-shot but Matsye's excess poundage, considerably increased by a pint of dining-hall mayonnaise (eaten for ice cream by mistake), was too much and the lad was all "stoved up" for some days.

Food for thought: Patsy McMurray and Doris "Pre-med" "Powerful Katrinka" Daniels are introducing themselves as Fruitful and Frightful (the McGulp Twins).

Business As Usual

It was a dull week for Louise (Sadie) Hawkins but one of the few bright spots should prove interesting to the drabber souls who know not the hectic life of The Hawk. Came Monday night and we find Sadie studying away for a Geography test (paid apple-polishing advertisement) when suddenly she is summoned to the Varnado Hall telephone. Once there she hears, faintly, the voice of one-time lover Graves Hundley who is calling, all the way from New Hampshire, to propose—and how! When the interview ended after some six minutes of general misunderstanding (she said yes in the wrong places) the young lady suddenly discovered that she was stuck with a seven dollar telephone bill! No flies on Hundley, he called collect.

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— Beat Tech —

The Potpourri Victory Ball, at which "Miss Potpourri of 1943", ten 1943 Potpourri beauties, ten maids of Miss Potpourri's court, State Fair Queen, Jean Simmons, Freshman Beauty Happy Keegan and the Homecoming Queen will be presented, has been definitely scheduled for October 31 in the Student Center, Potpourri officials announced this week.

Centered around the theme "Beauties for Victory", the ball is expected to be one of the most colorful social events of the year. Under the direction of Don Mike Stothart, Potpourri business manager, the affair will feature elaborate decorations and the presentation of twenty-four local coeds, all of whom are being selected for their pulchritude and personality.

The 1943 Potpourri staff is selecting an official sponsor to be called "Miss Potpourri 1943" and Normal's "Miss Victory." Also being chosen this week are twenty campus belles, ten of whom are to be named by a special faculty committee as the ten beauties to be featured in the pages of the annual and the remaining ten of whom are to form the court of the sponsor. Carrying out the patriotic theme, the twenty girls will be called, respectively, "Beauties of Victory" and "Maids of Victory."

Profits from the Victory Ball are to be shared by the 1943 Potpourri with one of the war-time charity organizations. No definite beneficiary has been selected as yet but officials of the annual expect to complete arrangements this week.

Decorations are being supplied by the college Department of Speech. Tickets are to go on sale Friday noon, October 30.

— Beat Tech —

State B. S. U. Will Hold Session Here Beginning Oct. 29

— Beat Tech —

The Normal B. S. U. will be host for the Thirteenth Annual Session of the Louisiana Baptist Student Union here in Natchitoches, beginning Thursday, October 29, 7:00 p. m., and closing on Saturday morning. Several hundred students and guests from every campus in Louisiana are expected to register.

The speaker for the opening session and also Friday morning will be Dr. Harry Rimmer, D.D., Sc.D. and widely-known minister, author and lecturer. He is in Who's Who of America and is much in demand as a speaker. His "Dead Men Tell Tales", and other scientific books are best known.

Another speaker is Dr. John Miller, Canton, China, who will come on Wednesday and will speak several times before the convention begins. Dr. John L. Hill, Nashville, Tennessee, a gifted

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Into A Huddle . . .



. . . goes State Fair Queen, Miss Jean Simmons, above center, of Shreveport with her court on the campus here to work out plans for the football classic between the Demons and the Tech Bulldogs at the State Fair in Shreveport Saturday afternoon. With Miss Simmons as captain the co-ed eleven is, top, clockwise, Misses Virginia Lea Marmade, Marjorie Warner, Mary Jean Swift, Annie Sue Miller, Margaret French, Myrtice Simpson, Juanita Craig, Noella Lyons, Norma Ruth Holcombe and Virginia Leete. The Queen and her maids will be presented to the grid crowd before the opening kickoff and will reign over the game.

PRESENTATION BOARD OF NAVY, ARMY AND MARINES TO VISIT STATE NORMAL CAMPUS MONDAY

Officers Will Explain Reserve Corps Plans, Answer Questions at Meet In Little Theatre

The Presentation Board composed of representatives of the Navy, the Army, and the Marines covering the college procurement plan will hold a two-hour meeting on the campus of the Louisiana State Normal College here on Monday, October 26, it was announced this week by Albert T. Browne, principal of the Elementary School and faculty co-ordinator for the Civilian Pilot Training program at the college.

Scheduled in the Little Theatre of the Fine Arts Building on South campus, the meeting will be held between 9 a. m. and 11 a. m., Mr. Browne stated. During the first period from 9 a. m. until 10 a. m. various reserve plans will be presented to the men attending the college, with the second period from 10 a. m. until 11 a. m. given over to the answering of questions concerning the policies of the reserve corps.

"It is highly important that every man enrolled in the State Normal College this semester be present at this meeting, and

particularly is this true of those who may be anxious to enlist in some branch of the reserve corps of Uncle Sam's fighting forces," Mr. Browne stated this week.

Mr. Browne announced this week that all men enrolled at the college will be excused from their classes between 9 a. m. and 11 a. m. Monday.

Many of the men students at the State Normal College, including 24 members of the varsity football team, have enlisted in the several branches of the reserve corps, it was pointed out this week.

'Hotel Universe' Date Changed to November Fourth

— Beat Tech —

The date of "Hotel Universe", the Davis Players' first production of the season has been changed from October 28 to November 4. The cast has also been changed to include Tommy Thompson as Felix.

At the last meeting the club, bids were issued to: Roger Sherman, J. E. Tullos, A. C. Willis, Tommy Thompson, Edith Weber, Helen Riddle, Margaret French and C. G. Snoddy.

— Beat Tech —

LATE BULLETIN!

Immediately following the pep meeting on the courthouse lawn in Shreveport tomorrow there is to be another special meeting in the Washington-Youree Hotel. This meeting will be broadcast. All students are urged to attend. Beat Tech!

NOTICE

— Beat Tech —

Effective today, chaperones for any activity involving women students must be approved in advance by the Dean of Women.

Andrew W. Hunt,
Director of Student Welfare

Spirit Mounts On Campus

— Beat Tech —

Every Normal student, faculty member or employee who can possibly be in Shreveport tomorrow morning is expected to attend a mammoth pep meeting on the courthouse lawn at 11 o'clock when the cheerleaders and Demon band will lead the crowd in a final session to send the team into the battle against the Bulldogs.

The pep meeting tomorrow morning will culminate a week of fast-mounting enthusiasm on the local campus which opened early in the week and hit its stride Wednesday night when students conducted a mammoth pep-fest featuring the presentation of the members of the Demon team and the burning in effigy of the Tech Bulldog.

The Normal Demon band will be present at the courthouse meeting to back the efforts of cheerleaders Hochenadel, Austin, Pope, Bookter and Miller. With the Ruston school having dropped their band this year, the Normal musical organization is expected to lend real color to local student support of the grid squad. Alumni of the college are expected to pour into Shreveport for the game and many will be present for the pep-fest.

Practically the entire local student body is traveling to the Ark-La-Tex city for the battle and every Demon supporter is requested to meet at the courthouse get-together.

An added feature of the day's activities will be the luncheon at which the Normal Student Council will play host to the members of the Student Senate of Louisiana Tech. The luncheon is scheduled for twelve, noon. It is the second annual affair of its kind, the Tech organization having played host to the Normal Council members last year. The entire membership of both organizations, with their dates, is expected to be present.

Dr. Joe Farrar, local college president, announced early this week that no classes will be held here tomorrow with the holiday beginning officially at four o'clock this afternoon.

— Beat Tech —

CALENDAR

October 22-October 29

Friday, October 23

Y.M.C.A. Party — Old Social—

Saturday, October 24

State Fair: Football—Louisiana Tech vs. Normal.

Monday, October 26

Little Theater: Joint Meeting of Army, Navy and Marines Recruiting Board, 9:00 p. m.

Tuesday, October 27

Private Dining Hall: Instructional Council Dinner—6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 28

Old Social: Faculty Party—8:00 p. m.

Thursday, October 29

Baptist Church: State B. S. U. Convention.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1942

Demons Beat Tech

The big event of the week is undoubtedly the football game in Shreveport tomorrow. Ever since Tech and Normal began their series of games the annual meeting has been one of the features of the grid season but with the State Fair as a backdrop for the battle since 1938 the Demon-Bulldog meeting is one of the state's most colorful athletic events.

This may very likely be the last State Fair game for some time to come. Therefore it is perhaps even more important than before and that makes it a rather important affair. In other words, every person connected with Normal should want, and intend, to see the DEMONS BEAT TECH at the State Fair tomorrow.

The cheerleaders have arranged for a giant pep meeting in Shreveport at eleven a. m. tomorrow morning. **Every student should plan to attend that pep meeting if it is all possible for him to do so.** The Demon band will be there and this is our chance to get one last dose of that "good ole college spirit" at its best.

True, that spirit should go rolling along throughout the year but tomorrow is the logical time for it to hit its climax. The Bulldogs are being picked by the "experts" to win. They undoubtedly have a strong team but **so do we.** For football alone the battle should be worth going to see but interest is not enough unless that interest is shown through some **audible** backing of the team.

This is the season for sore throats anyway. You may as well get yours yelling your head off for the Demons as by taking a nasty old cold.

Win or lose we can take Shreveport away from Tech tomorrow. The Rustonites will put a football team on the field. So will we but let's go them one better and put a school in town and in the stands at kick-off time.

YOU be at that pep meeting at the Court House in Shreveport at eleven o'clock tomorrow morning. YOU get excited about this game and let the world know it. YOU help tell the world and the football team what we all want:

DEMONS, BEAT TECH!

The Fire Bug

Last week two fires of a rather serious nature were started in the men's lounge of the Student Center. Both were the result of students tossing lighted matches into containers in which there was paper or other inflammable material.

Fortunately neither fire caused great material damage though one did destroy a cushion on one of the seats in the lounge.

However, unless students are more careful in the future far more serious fires may occur with a consequent loss of property or even life. The Student Center is about as fire-proof as it is possible to make any building but it is not so wonderful a structure as to make further carelessness advisable. Even the destruction of a cushion is unnecessary waste which should be avoided.

The problem is not so serious as to cause any great concern to anyone. It simply calls for a bit more care on the part of students in handling matches. It is one of the many little things that each of us must remember. Let's do it.

Society



By BETTY BELL

After last week's head to the effect that I "fail" it would seem I'd proceed to offer some argument or, at least, explanation. Instead there's not a thing to say. I must plead guilty in all 999 degrees—that's the trouble with this business! Anybody wanna' be a Society Editor? If you can satisfy the Editor, the deadline, and the public (well, everybody likes to think he has one) all at the same time, you're in! But, in the meantime, you're not, so I bear my cross, one a two and a half ton truck would hesitate to take on.

— Beat Tech —

When corsages come pouring in, hair goes up, evening dresses come out, and gals' eyes have that almost forgotten gleam, one knows there's a boys' tag at Normal. Those things are so seldom that it's as if F.D.R. had decided to have Christmas twice this year or that "they" were to serve steak in dining hall at least three times a week.

Anyway the Lambda Zetas were responsible for many a head-in-the-clouds when they feted rushes and gals at a dance last Friday. John Hopper & Co. welcomed everybody with a good evening and, boy, it was! In spite of the fact that it's been a little drafty of late, it was plain to see that Uncle Sam still has a lot of latent talent to discover. Wish he'd kinda overlook it, but then if wishes were horses we wouldn't have to worry about the tire situation!

One of the evening's high spots was the announcement of another pin gone the way of all pins—this one from A. C. Willis to Rosemary Watts. Congratulations!

— Beat Tech —

The last, but, oh baby, not the least, (pacifier for the Ed.) of the formal fraternity rush parties was tossed, and fell anything but flat, (more sugar for baby) last Saturday in upstairs Religious Center—"Old Social" to most of you wags. With a patriotic theme, and an overabundant supply of eats, the Sigma Tau dinner dance turned into something resembling a supper affair.

Tau prexy, Cotton Meagher, with his date, Thetis Treadwell, received the guests ever so graciously and ushered them to small

Former Jap Internee to Lecture Here

— Beat Tech —

Dr. John Miller, of Little Rock, Ark., and Canton, China, recently returned home on the Swedish ship, Gripsholm, will speak in assembly next Thursday morning, October 29, third period. He had been held by the Japanese for several weeks and was exchanged with other Americans from Japan and China in Portuguese, East Africa a few weeks ago.

Dr. Miller is a graduate of Baylor University, 1936, and the University of Arkansas Medical School, 1940. Following his internship, he sailed for Canton, China, where he was in charge of the Southern Baptist Hospital.

His experiences in the Far East and his impressions of conditions witnessed will be of special interest to students today. His account of conditions will be more up-to-date than any information we have been able to get.

Dr. Miller will be in the city and campus for the Louisiana Baptist Student Convention which will begin on Thursday evening, 7:00. Students from every campus in Louisiana are expected to be here for this convention. Dr. Harry Rimmer, D.D., Sc.D. and famous lecturer, author and minister will be the main speaker on Thursday evening.

— Beat Tech —

Y. W. C. A.

— Beat Tech —

Sunday afternoon the various religious groups met in the Religious Center and heard a very effective program centered around the World Student Service Fund. This program, sponsored by the Y. W. C. A., was given in an attempt to raise money for the needy students in other parts of the world.

Those participating were Grace King and Marguerite Monks of the Y. W. C. A., J. E. Tulos of the Y. M. C. A., Grace Sanson of the B. S. U., and Jimmie Lout of the Wesley Foundation.

tables decorated with tiny replicas of the Stars and Stripes. There they partook of lush dinners with plenty of white meat.

Later came dancing to the Swing of the Kings, sans one bass player, living exemplification of—what's that line of Scott's?—"the stag at eve had drunk his fill!" That guy missed out on a gay time; or did he?

— Beat Tech —

This week-end comes a quick change of scene and Society becomes the cafe variety in Shreveport, so let's take a boat, train, or plane and rip 'em up, tear 'em up, Demons!!

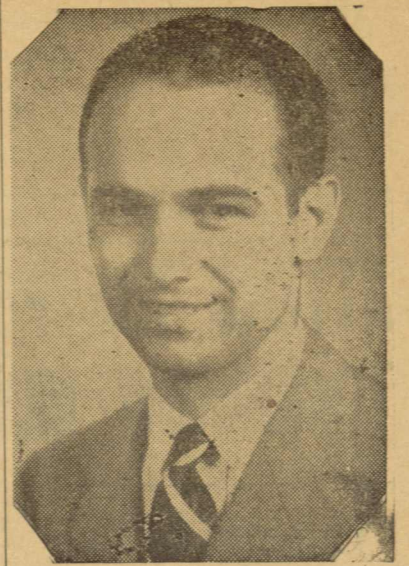
First Reminder

Last Monday night when John Tyers was presented in concert here on the campus there was a recurrence of what seems to be a chronic ailment of local students. Many boys appeared at the program dressed far too informally for such a program.

Admittedly it is laughably impractical to demand or expect really formal dress for such occasions here. However, any boy on the campus can don a coat and tie when the occasion demands it. Lyceum programs are among the occasions which demand such dress.

It is probable that the offenders were simply too lazy to go home for a coat and tie before attending the concert. Such laziness or carelessness is a reflection upon the college as a whole and in view of that fact the affair is the business of the college as a whole.

Formerly a few gentle reminders have been enough to put an end to this business. This may be considered gentle reminder number one. It is certainly to be hoped that the few who have offended in the past will be just a bit more thoughtful in the future.



DR. JOHN MILLER
Medical Missionary, just returned from Canton, China.

Tyers Was Well Received Here in Concert Monday

— Beat Tech —

The members of the Co-operative Concerts Association and the students of the Louisiana State Normal College were particularly enthusiastic in their praise and appreciation of the fine recital by John Tyers, young American baritone, on Monday evening.

His warm and extremely resonant voice was complimented by a dynamic personality that made each song an individual and pleasurable experience.

In the presentation of several songs in English translation, rather than in the tongue in which the composers had written them, Mr. Tyers presented a strong argument in favor of this procedure. While it does seem strange to hear the traditional Schubert and Schumann in English, for the most part the general public like to know what the song is all about. In contrast to an instrumental composition, the song depends finally on the words or idea, and the melody and dynamic expression are usually a means or a subordination to the words.

The program did not follow the usual recital pattern, with the usual art songs first, the arias second and the lighter English-text comprising the last group. But each group was interestingly arranged and gave a pleasing balance to the program.

Mr. Tyers was capably accompanied by Max Walmer, who was also warmly received for his group. He responded with two encores.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

— Beat Tech —

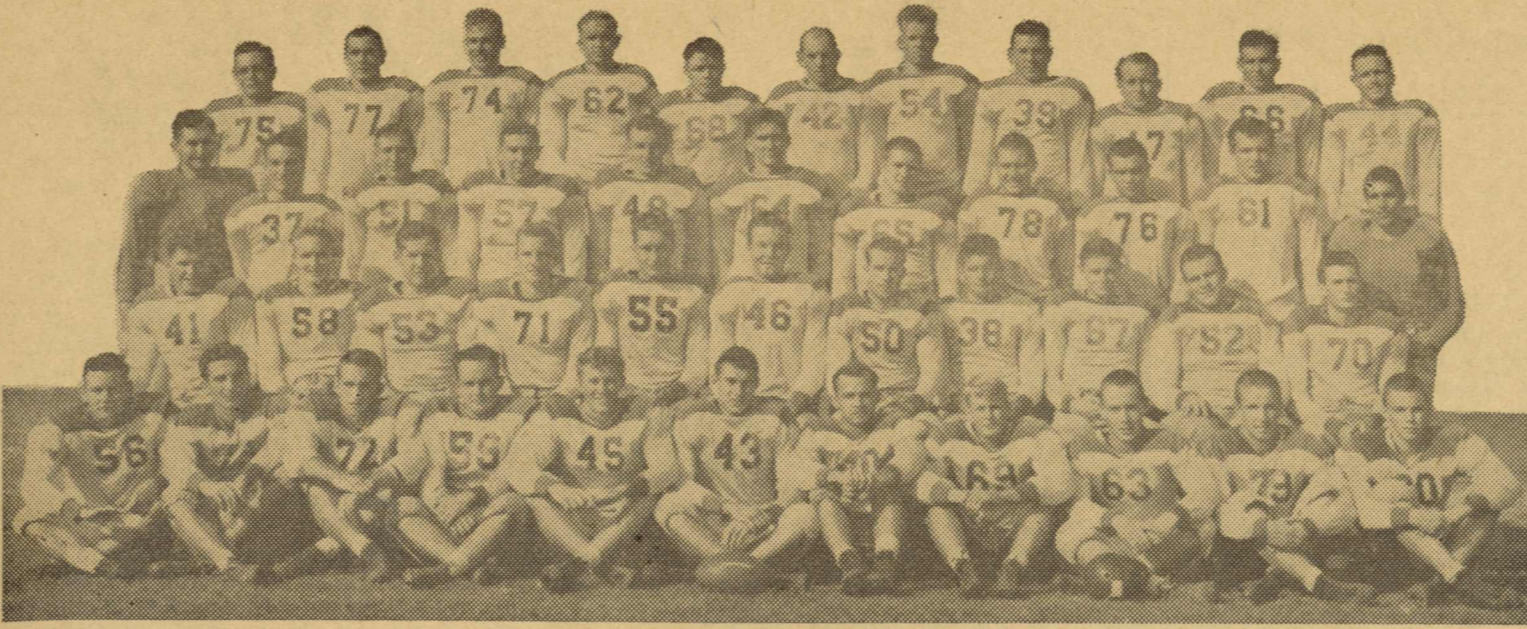
Attention, all Methodist young people! The State Methodist Student Conference is to convene on the L. S. U. campus at Baton Rouge on November 6, 7 and 8. The registration fee is nominal. Fifteen young people are to go from the local group. If you are interested in going, or if you know anyone who is interested, please see Miss Mamie Chandler. Transportation will be by bus.

The conference is to be made up of discussion groups, called "cell-groups." Each cell-group will have a student leader. The student leader from the local Wesley Foundation is Jean Vosburg.

We want each Methodist young person on the local campus to find his place in local Methodist student work. We are depending on each of you for the success of this work during the coming year.



These Forty-four Demons . . .



. . . are reported to be "in the pink" for the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs of Ruston when the two rivals meet on the State Fair gridiron Saturday afternoon in the first L.I.C. game of the year for both elevens. The Demons are, front row, left to right: Nation, Carbo, Courtney, Southerland, Scott, Townsend, McSwain, Meagher, Hughes, Jantz, Tarlton; second row: Davis, McFarland, Burley, Johnson, Bollier, Bambrick, Gerson, Tinsley, Thompson, R. Eason, Kilpatrick; third row: Hanchey, Clawson, Prather, Nicosia, Carlin, Lutgring, Dickerson, Arie, Rhodes, B. Eason, Barkate; back row: Bourn, King, Stiles, Tripp, Randall, Ledet, McDermott, Woodward, Dunn, Benton, Vige.

DEMONS GO BEHIND CLOSED GATES TO PREP FOR GAME WITH TECH BULLDOGS AT STATE FAIR

Normal Eleven Classed as Underdogs In Game; All Members of Team In Good Condition

In an effort to frame a few offensive plays that the Louisiana Tech mentors have not witnessed in their scouting tours of the local college team this season, the Louisiana Normal Demons went behind closed gates here Tuesday as they swung into the final phases of preparation for the annual grid battle with the Ruston eleven at the State Fair in Shreveport Saturday afternoon.

The secret practice sessions banning all comers came after the Demons were sent through a scrimmage Monday when the Blue squad ran the Notre Dame system plays used by Tech against the Red and White elevens. Although the scrimmage was not staged on the basis of a regulation game with touchdowns counting, the third string Blues made considerable progress against the Red and White first and second string elevens, all of which was observed as not stacking up so well on the defensive side of the Demons' chances against the Techmen Saturday.

The Demon coaches stated Tuesday that they would take no more chances getting any members of the team injured in

further scrimmage sessions this week but would concentrate on offensive plays to be used against the Ruston crew. Just what these plays will unfold is a deep dark secret known only to the coaches and the players and will remain so until the Techsters are called upon to figure them out Saturday afternoon.

Some observers not "in the know" predicted here Tuesday that the Demon offensive will break loose in an avalanche of passes against the Bulldogs, as the local collegians have not used the air route to any great extent this year. Others (also in the dark) believed that the Demons would stick to power plays as they do not think the Normal eleven has the material for a passing attack this season.

Definitely classed as the underdogs in the game Saturday on the basis of the Sam Houston-Normal-Tech games when the Bulldogs trimmed the Texans by a four-touchdown margin more than did the Normal eleven, the Demons have only one gleam of hope for a tie or a slim margin of victory Saturday and that is that the entire squad is in near perfect physical condition, and barring any injuries between now and the

Demon Dust

By W. E. TIMON

Well folks, it's here. The Demons will open their L. I. C. schedule Saturday with the Tech Bulldogs at the State Fair. Don't any of you jump up and run down to the crossing early Saturday morning. There won't be any special train there, but all of you that possess your card from the Hitch-hiker's Union, use your abilities to get up there and holler for the Demons anyway.

Tech publicity agents have been ballyhooing one Johnny Perritt, for the Little All-America team. Normal has not been publicizing any candidates, but this writer will wager that the Demons will display as fine a group of backfield men as the Bulldogs.

Coach Aillet of the Bulldogs is a former Normal coach. He was assistant mentor here for several years before he took over the head coaching job at Ruston. He was very popular on the campus while here, but he will be much more popular here if the Demons triumph over Tech.

Normal will follow the Tech game with another conference game with the Southeastern Lions of Hammond. They will then play Southwestern and close their season with a game in Arkadelphia with Ouachita college.

Coach Prather will issue his first call for basketball candidates Monday. Some of last year's stalwarts such as Richie, Perkins, Haile, W. Prather and Dupree will be out for these opening sessions will probably be only three times a week for the present.

Basketball in the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference received another blow this week when Louisiana college voted to abandon inter-school competition this year. Centenary had already abandoned all intercollegiate sports for the duration.

opening whistle will be in the pink for the game.

Booked as the first Louisiana Intercollegiate conference game of the season for both the Demons and the Bulldogs, the game Saturday is expected to attract hundreds of Normal fans from this section of the state. A holiday has been declared at the college here Saturday, and practically every student will make his way "by thumb" or otherwise to the State Fair game as officials of railroads and bus lines have placed a ban on specials this year on account of the war effort.

The coed grid court headed by Miss Jean Simmons of Shreveport as queen will be presented to the State Fair football fans prior to the opening kickoff and will reign over the annual classic. Arrangements were also announced here this week for the college concert band under the direction of Dwight Davis, formerly bandmaster at C. E. Byrd high school in Shreveport, to make the trip.

Football spirit is running high on the local college campus with a mammoth pep meeting held Thursday night when students burned the Tech Bulldog in effigy at a big bonfire. A pep

Bass Stars But Blues Win in Swimming Meet

— Beat Tech —

In spite of Juanita Bass' Herculean efforts for the Red team in the freshman women's swimming meet in the Natatorium last Friday night, the Blue squad piled up 52 points to take the meet. The Reds scored 45 points and the Whites trailed close behind with 42 markers.

Bass, freshman vice-president, took a first in the crawl and back Crawl events for speed and tied for third in the front crawl for form to chalk up 13 points and first place in individual scoring. Two contestants from the Blue team, Betty Hopper and Katherine Nelken, were second and third in individual scoring as they amassed 11 and 10 points respectively.

Summary:

Crawl: Juanita Bass (Red); second, Betty Hopper (Blue); third, Katherine Nelken (Blue); fourth, Shirley Collier (Red).

Elementary Back Tandum: Susan Jones (White) and Dorothy Perry (White); Mary Ann Westall (White) and Fanny Lyons (White); Sue Bradley (Blue) and Alice Bradley (Blue); Juanita Bass (Red), Betty Hopper (Blue), Katherine Nelken (Blue), and Julia Collier (Red).

Reading Relay: First, Blues; second, Reds; third, Whites.

Back Crawl: Juanita Bass (Red); Mary Ann Westall (White); Katherine Nelken (Blue); and Lottie Tarver (Blue).

Front Crawl Form: First, Martha Cogswell (White); second, Julia Collier (Red); third, Betty Hopper (Blue) and Juanita Bass (Red); fourth, Lottie Tarver (Blue).

Under Relay: Blues, Reds, Whites.

Totals

First, Juanita Bass, 13, (Red); second, Betty Hopper, 11, (Blue); third, Katherine Nelken, 10, (Blue).

Teams: Blues, 52; Reds, 45; Whites, 42.

Practice Teachers at High School Make Better Marks on Comprehensive Exams

Naval Aviation Needs Young Men

— Beat Tech —

Wartime Navy Day finds the youth of today playing an important part in today's great conflict. President Roosevelt has already portrayed the importance of 18 and 19 year old men.

Naval Aviation needs and wants these men. A wonderful opportunity is offered to them by the Navy to win their Navy Wings of Gold, and become flying officers in the United States Navy.

meeting in Shreveport at 11 p. m. Saturday has also been announced and every measure is being taken to cheer the Demons on in their annual battle with the Techmen.

In their five games with the Ruston eleven at the State Fair in Shreveport, the Normal Demons have won three; and fans here are calling for the fourth in Saturday's game in spite of the fact that the Bulldogs are doped on paper to take the tilt.

Evidence Adduced That Scholastic Standards at State Normal College Are Rising

L. H. Dyson, head of the Department of Education and Director of Teacher Training at the Louisiana State Normal College here announced this week that the grades of comprehensive examinations given the practice teachers in the Natchitoches High School this semester are considerably higher than those made by practice teachers in the local school during the fall semester of 1941.

Mr. Dyson explained this week that comprehensive examinations are always given the practice teachers in the respective fields of their teaching each semester to give the officials an indication of the student's ability so that supervisors may judge better the teacher's mastery of his subject.

The fact that the 45 practice teachers in the Natchitoches High School this semester made higher grades on their comprehensive examinations indicates that the scholastic standards at the college are rising, it was pointed out.

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NOTICE TO ALL WOMEN STUDENTS

Don't forget the Red Cross Surgical Dressing Room which is open Monday through Thursday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock in Old Social Hall.

If you can possibly spare as much as one and one-half hours at a time from your work, please do your bit by helping with these bandages which are so urgently needed right now.

Girls should wear some kind of head covering (a kerchief will do nicely) and a wash dress. Faculty women in charge will be glad to teach and help you with this work.

Iona Berry
Dean of Women

Are you entitled to wear a "target" lapel button? You are if you are investing at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day. It's your badge of patriotism.

Convention

(Continued from Page 1)

platform speaker and writer of note, will speak and lead two forums. Miss Mary Nance Daniel, Nashville, Tennessee, Southwide Student Secretary, will appear on the program; also, Dr. J. D. Grey, New Orleans; Dr. J. Norris Palmer, Baton Rouge; Dr. W. E. B. Lockridge, Ruston, and others.

A "Southern Hospitality" Banquet will be held in the Social Hall of the Religious Center at 5:30 on Friday. Tickets are already on sale for this occasion.

All students, regardless of denomination, are invited to attend these sessions and to share the fellowship, information and inspiration with the host group.

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Normal Professor Reports on Meet In Atlanta, Ga.

—Beat Tech—
Dr. O. C. Skipper Says Journal of Southern History to Be Continued

Dr. O. C. Skipper, new member of the Department of Social Studies at the Louisiana State Normal College here, returned to the campus Monday from Atlanta, Ga., where he attended a meeting of the Executive Council of the Southern Historical Association last week.

Dr. Skipper reported this week that, as with all organizations, the Southern Historical Association is feeling the impact of war. In the light of this fact, the annual meeting of the Association which was to have been held in Montgomery, Ala., this fall has been cancelled and the officer nominating committee, of which he is a member, will be conducted by mail during the new session, Dr. Skipper stated.

According to Dr. Skipper, one of the principal accomplishments of the committee meeting in Atlanta last week was the successful completion of arrangements for the continuation of the publication of the Journal of Southern History. In the past, the publication of the Journal was carried out by Louisiana State University, with the result that the publication has achieved high rank.

Since the Louisiana University has announced it is compelled to discontinue the editorship and publication of the Journal, Vanderbilt University has been selected to sponsor both the editorship and the publication of the periodical for the immediate future, thus assuring the continuance of the effort to present articles of importance concerning the history of the South, Dr. Skipper stated.

ABSENTEE REPORT FOR WEEK—OCT. 12-17, 1942

—Beat Tech—

240 students absent from classes
—26.6 per cent of Student Body.
66 men
174 women

86 Freshmen — 37.9 per cent of Freshman Class
77 Sophomores—32.2 per cent of Sophomore Class
43 Juniors—24.1 per cent Junior Class
33 Seniors—16.2 per cent of Senior Class

239
1 Special

240
135 ill—56.2 per cent of absentees
10 pre-arranged absences — 4.2 per cent of absentees
45 Justified—18.7 per cent of absentees
25 not justified—10.4 per cent of absentees
7 extra-curricular activities—2.9 per cent of absentees
8 errors in reports—3.3 per cent of absentees
6 tardy but reported as absent —2.5 per cent of absentees
4 resigned—1.7 per cent of absentees

240
491 class hours missed
66 called in for conference
16 reported tardy

NATIONAL PRESIDENT OF ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA FETED BY LOCAL CHAPTER

Mrs. Fred M. Sharp of Kansas City, Missouri, national president of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority, spent several days last week as the guest of the local chapter on the college campus. During her stay she was feted at a series of social affairs, including a party given by Miss Manette Swett and a tea by the college Pan-Hellenic Council on Wednesday, a coffee by Miss Clio Allen, A.S.A. patroness, and a banquet Thursday, given by the local chapter.



Since all our "friends" know at least three or four good items but simply "can't afford to tell you", about all we can think of that's worth saying this week is BEAT TECH! However, here we go with the few scrawny little scraps of low-down on the local low-lifers that we have managed to drag from unwilling informers.

On the domestic front, as the commentators say, there is quite a storm a-brewing. At least that's what our favorite star-gazer says about the hearth marked Howell-Griffin. John the Bull of the House of Howell and Mary Katherine, official student body minutes-keeper, have been strictly lovin' these many months now, so it is a distinct shock to find estrangement rearing its unlovely countenance over their cheek-to-cheek heads. Not that it's actually a fact. Rather Mildred Courtney who, being a freshman, probably hasn't the usual awe of the tradition-infested oneness of John and Mary K., is punching him (estrangement) up in the hope that she can hop into the shoes now encasing Mary K.'s number 10's. All of which adds up to the fact that Mildred is doing her darndest to catch the eye of the rovin'-orb'd Bully in spite of all of the frat pens and stuff that vouch for Mary K.'s inside track. The House of Howell's favorite Bull refuses to make a statement.

And is our face red! No sooner had we officially un-merged the Davis-Pope merger than we saw them cooing a wicked coo—back on the same old trail. However, save that bit of paging for Carl Benton 'cause we hear that there's a nice bit of dirt brewing in his front yard, what with Marilyn Calendar and Maxwynne Moore in the thick of some kind of cat fight and practically every other female in school giving odds on one or the other of them.

Billie Elston imports hers—men, we mean. At least that's the conclusion we've reached after watching some distinctly "cute" and curly-headed male-child parade into town, and Billie's company, periodically this year and some months now. Apparently the Elston gal couldn't or wouldn't compete Em Willis for Wallace Prather's affections.

Perhaps we can account for Betty Bell's failure to do her bit for the editor of The Current Sauce here lately by pointing to the fact that she is currently occupied by the Davis Players in three ways: (1) the play, "Hotel Universe", (2) Charles Roberts and (3) Dennon Holmes. "Hotel Universe" is probably a time-consumer of the first water but we'll bet it can't compete with the combined efforts of Charles and Dennon who alternate with Betty's date nights. When she has an odd one they settle it as gentlemen should—they both come along. Anyhow just pick one of the boys and its even money that the other's taking her out, come double-feature time at the local theatres.

Bill "Tobe" Eason is a potential customer for the vendors of padded cells since Theophile Scott pulled a fast one on him this week. Bilbo's number one girl-friend pulled into town for a short visit last Friday night, planning to remain through Eason's Tuesday-night date night. Then came Scott with the news that date nights were being postponed until Wednesday. Bill's gal couldn't wait so she pulled out early Tuesday. Hardly was she out of yellin' distance than Theophile revoked his original order and said that the muscle mashers would take Tuesday as usual. Don't feel too sorry for Eason though, he picked up Gerry Manning and carried on.

And here's our sternest frown to the person, place or thing (probably the latter) who ran to Bandmaster Davis with the names of a goodly number of band members whom she believed to have broken a band rule recently. We don't know the details—the it's story may have been true—but there are some things which simply aren't done. It's things like this that have put the term "chicken" into our slanguage.

We Suggest . . .

That the students of Normal try the seven "Rules of Study" that were given to the freshmen of a nearby college. They are:

1. Budget your time and stick to your budget—two hours study for one hour class.
2. Turn off the radio and don't

talk with your roommate in the time you have set aside to study.

3. Don't stay up late at night. It just means you'll lose out the next day from lack of sleep.

4. Hand in your papers on time. It leaves a good impression on your instructor and it keeps you from being swamped with back work.

5. Don't depend on other people's notes or bookmarks in libe books. They may be faulty or inadequate. You can be sure of no work but your own.

6. Don't hesitate to talk to the Professor about your work. There are many faculty members whom you would be fortunate to know inside and out of the class room. Seek them out. They want to be your friends.

7. Don't get discouraged. Adjustment is hard but it's soon over and look at all the people who have done it.

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Queen Wells and Maids to Reign at Homecoming Game Tonight



That "far-away look" in the eyes of these eleven coeds is the result of their being chosen to reign over the "N" Club Homecoming football game between the Demons and Southeastern tonight. The court is, left to right: Misses Peggy Myers, Frances Sharp, Allie Lee Aycock, Elna Exa Boone, Shirley Backes, Margie Cobb, Maxwynne Moore, Lenora Flores, Thetis Treadwell, Nora Alice McCants and Marjorie Wells (queen).

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TWENTY-ONE GIRLS NAMED FOR VICTORY BALL; STAR-SPANGLED THEME PLANNED FOR AFFAIR

The names of twenty-one coeds who will form the list of beauties and maids for Victory at the Potpourri Victory Ball tomorrow night were announced this week by Don Mike Stothart, Potpourri business manager and director of the ball.

To begin at nine p. m., the ball will feature a star-spangled patriotic theme and is expected to be one of the most elaborate affairs staged at the college this year.

The twenty-one girls, ten of whom will be announced tomorrow night as Potpourri beauties while ten more will be named maids of Miss Potpourri 1943, who completes the list, are as follows:

Shirley Backes, Verna Lou Barnes, Betty Bell, Marilyn Callender, Julianne David, Billy Elston, Margaret French, Judy Edwards, Dede Hart, Louise Hawkins, Melba Law, Etoile Mobley, Rose Langenstein, Fanny Lyons, Virginia Lea Marmande, Melba Jean Pope, Patsy Sibley, Ann Smith, Thetis Treadwell, Marjorie Warner and Em Willis.

They were chosen last week by a special faculty committee and the first ten as selected by this committee are to be featured on the beauty pages of the annual. Their rank will be decided by an artist of national importance.

Homecoming Queen Marjorie Wells, State Fair Queen Jean Simmons and Freshman Beauty, Happy Keegan are also to be presented as special maids of honor at the ball.

The Victory Ball is to be a girls' tag with tickets going on sale in the college student center today at noon. Admission is twenty-nine cents for stags and forty-nine cents for couples.

Davis Players to Present 'Hotel Universe' Nov. 4

Philip Barry's Broadway Success Coming Wednesday

The Davis Players of the Louisiana State Normal College will open their twentieth season with the presentation of "Hotel Universe", by Philip Barry on Wednesday, November 4. The club was organized in the fall of 1923 and has been active since then.

"Hotel Universe" is one of the outstanding works of Barry and was a Broadway success several seasons ago. It is somewhat different from former productions in that it is a full length play but is presented in one continuous scene. The cast of characters is: Stephen Field, James Taylor; Ann Field, Virginia Leete; Pat Farley, Chas. Roberts; Lily Malone, Betty Bell; Tom Ames, Vernon Warren; Hope Ames, Gwendolyn Cylvest; Norman Rose, Dennon Holmes; Alice Kendall, Peggy Myers; Felix, Tommy Thompson.

The play will be presented in the Fine Arts Auditorium at 8:00 p. m. The admission is 25c.

Colleges Convene Here Today for B.S.U. Convention

We welcome visitors from L. S. U., Tech, Louisiana College, Southwestern, Southeastern, B. B. I., Hospitals, Centenary, John McNeese, Northeast Center and New Orleans colleges, who are attending the Louisiana Baptist Student Convention here this week. The program is under way and among the outstanding speakers are, Dr. Harry Rimmer, New York City; Dr. John Miller, Canton, China; Dr. John L. Hill, Nashville, Tenn.; Miss Mary Nance Daniel, Nashville; Dr. J. D. Grey, New Orleans; Dr. J. Norris Palmer, Baton Rouge and many others. The banquet on this evening (Friday) and football

Twenty Named to "Who's Who" for 1942-1943 Book

Twenty local students were named last week by a faculty committee to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." Chosen on the basis of character, leadership in extra-curricular activities and scholarship, the students will have their biographies published in the 1942-43 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Also to be included in this year's edition of the book are Mary Ellen Caldwell and C. M. McSwain who will be placed in a special section since they were not named on this year's list due to the fact that they were named to the Normal group last year.

The honored students are as follows:

Miriam Ewing, Gwendolyn Sylvest, Jean Vosburg, Sam Kendrick, J. C. Carlin, Alden Vige, George Parks, John Howell, Theophile Scott, Ed. McDermott, E. P. Dobson, John Hopper, Janet Shively, Marjorie Buatt, Helen Clay, Jewel Watson, Carmen de la Barre, Mary Katherine Griffin, Anna Bell Landry and Adelaide Smith.

The group was selected by a committee composed of Dr. Joe Farrar, Mr. Joe Webb, Dr. John S. Kyser, Mr. H. J. Colvin and Miss Katherine Winters.

game will close the program for today.

The session at the First Baptist Church, Saturday, morning will close the convention. Dr. J. D. Grey will bring the keynote address.

WE WAR BONDS
BUY A BOND AS A SALUTE
TO YOUR HERO IN SERVICE

Former Demons Back Today For 'N' Club Homecoming Game

Open House, Dance Among Activities

Demon athletes of former years are expected to flock back to the campus today for what may be the last "N" Club Homecoming for the duration as the campus prepares to welcome the returning alumnae with a full day of activities including open house at both the "N" Club in the men's gym and Varnado Hall, the football game between the Demons and the Southeastern Lions on Normal Field tonight and the annual "N" Club dance in the student center after the game.

Eleven homecoming maids have been selected for the grid game by the senior football players and they will be presented to the spectators before the opening kick-off and will occupy special seats at the game.

A large group of alumnae is expected to return to the campus for the day's festivities by some observers who point out that this may well be the last such occasion for the duration of the war and that gas rationing will hinder attendance at such events after November 22.

In addition to open-house in Varnado Hall and the "N" Club, many campus organizations are planning entertainment in honor

of returning alumnae members.

The "N" Club dance, an annual affair, will close the day's activities. The dance is to begin at 10:30 tonight, following the football game.

Fraternities Get Sixty-Two Men Here Monday

The three social fraternities on the campus issued bids here last week-end and 62 local men students accepted invitations to become members of the Greek-letter organizations Monday at noon after a meeting in the Library Visual Education Room.

Lambda Zeta received 16 pledges while Phi Kappa Nu pledged 24 and Sigma Tau Gamma was the choice of 22 local men.

The pledges of each fraternity are as follows:

Lambda Zeta: Ben Bradford, Miles Huey, Ciro Lampo, George Nomey, Wyatt Adkins, Don Mike Stothart, E. P. Dobson, Roy Shehane, Billy Pullen, Bob Jordan, Jack Richter, Bobby Doell, Crockett Norris, Phillip Orr, George Briley, Kerlin Sutton.

Phi Kappa Nu: John Nicosia, Hurley Tripp, Skeets Courtney, J. C. Ledet, Francis Ledet, Tommy Pope, Ralph Shelton, Harry Schilling, Albert Gerson, Clinton "Buck" Dobson, Cecil Clark, Al Hughes, Gabriel Barkate, Albert McKee, Harold Lewing, William Arie, Bobby Jantz, Joe Cavanaugh, Alarie Smith, George Isaac, Frank Lampkin, Purvis Landry, Pat Nation, Bobby Joe King.

Sigma Tau Gamma: Curtis Guillet, Freddy Hill, Jimmie Lout, Aristide Tauzin, George Callahan, Howard Young, Bobby Ruston, Roland Hussey, Joe Pierson, "Mutt" Slade, Nathan Durham, Paul Anderson, Pharis Michael, Rudy Eason, James Ford, John Tarlton, Harold Rhodes, Ford Greer, Harris, Dickenson, Kellum, Brown.

Choir To Present First Program For Methodists Here Sunday

The A Cappella Choir of the Louisiana State Normal College will give its first public performance of the season at the First Methodist church here at 7:30 p. m., Sunday, November 1, Sherrod Towns, head of the department of Music, announced this week.

Barbara Gillis, Belle Brown, Edith Kuhn, and George Parks will be the guest soloists for the choir, and Gilbert T. Saetre, assisting soloist, will play a group of violin solos.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1942

A Complaint

This afternoon students will (or at least are expected to) attend classes as usual in spite of the fact that this is "N" Club Homecoming. After a number of years of traditional half-holidays for the event the student body will maintain its usual routine with little notice of its honored visitors.

The fact that this is war time can have little bearing on the case. A very few minutes from each morning period and a later lunch hour could easily have allowed the holiday without disrupting classes.

Student organizations could thus plan and carry out appropriate activities in honor of returning old members and the gesture would have been entirely appropriate for the occasion.

We suggest that Dr. Pittman was rather hasty in making his decision on the matter when approached by a Student Council committee this week.

Or Else!

The most important thing in the world today is, supposedly, the fact that our nation and our allies are engaged in literally a struggle for survival. All over the country lives have been greatly altered by this fact. Men have been required to leave their jobs, families, schools and friends to fight for the nation. Those who are not yet in the army are being called upon for sacrifices in order that the fight may go on. Few Americans are able to live as well as they did prior to the war.

Here and there are a few fortunate persons whose lives have not been greatly altered by the conflict. We here in college are among that small and extremely fortunate group.

As members of this group we cannot, however, consider ourselves immune from any part in the war. **Rather, the fact that we are not as yet being called upon to make the greater sacrifices makes it our duty to do everything possible to help win the war.**

At present we are shirking our duty to the country and to those who are working for victory. Our share of the advantages of victory will be as great as that of any other American. Yet we refuse to work and give for the war effort. There is no way in which we can rationalize about this issue. **We simply are not doing what we are morally bound to do.**

In the near future a complete mobilization of the student body for war work will get under way. You cannot be made to cooperate. You must, though, do everything within your power to help in war work if you are to deserve to remain in school.

Until the work is fully organized we need not be idle. There are several projects already under way. Everyone can buy war bonds and stamps. It will mean a sacrifice to almost all of us, but we **must** sacrifice, everyone else is.

Students and faculty alike are guilty of failure to do their part in helping to win the war. Students and faculty alike must become more realistic about the present state of affairs and must begin to really dig for victory!

Unless we are willing to work and give we will soon find that the college will suffer immeasurably. Our excuse for existence will be gone and in the realistic system that is total war institutions which have no excuse for existence are usually severely penalized. It is up to us. When the program gets organized we best cooperate—or else. Until then we'd best get in practice with some real sacrifice and work.

Society

By BETTY BELL

With the Fair trip just over, one might think this column would be simply drooling with news of the Normal gadabouts in Shreveport. There was the Zephyr Room, full to overflowing, the Coronado, buzzing like a hive, and Room 403, raising the roof—but who wants to get entangled in the sordid details?

One thing that can and should be mentioned is the luncheon given by the Student Council of Normal for Tech's Student Senate. 'Twas a swank affair in the Zephyr Room of the Washington-Youree—maybe you've heard of the place. Anyway, since our prexy was on the verge of playing his part in that, beeyoutiful game, Sonny Thomas was Emcee for the affair. Everyone's attitude was one of "forget where they're from and like 'em if it kills ya", so things were really chummy. There were all-around introductions, and it was at this point that everybody noticed what some few had already been aware of—the quiet exit of Sammy (yep, the editor—yours and mine). In spite of the absence of Kendrick, the other guests survived (O.K., so you think that must have been easy) and had a gay time.

Wednesday night the faculty took over upstairs Old Social. Done the South American way, the function was a salute to our good neighbors. Everything from the food to the guests (soup to nuts; you know) carried out the theme. The Ostlund-Cunningham team put on a show—don't know what the accompaniment was, but it should have been "Brazil". Guest artist Bama Wright, with his S. A. songs, got applause long and loud—that "gau-cho" is good!

After all was said and done, the profs had me convinced that their pitch, though not so wild, is as good as anyone's and that it can't be true about old dogs and their tricks.

Looking toward this week-end we find plenty to get excited about. The game with Southeastern, the "N" Club dance afterward, and, trailing along like the hepped tail of a kite, the Potpourri Victory Ball. So until then, when bigger and better copy is made, it's yours, with a "V" for Velcome.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

Real hay; Real horses! A friendly spirit! Good food! Saturday evening, 4:00-7:30.

All this spells "Wesley Foundation Hayride." Methodist students, you are all invited. Please come and join in the fun. But be sure to sign up at the Wesley Foundation Center before Friday at noon if you are going. We must know how many to expect.

Trudy Herron's recreation committee has made it possible for us to have a great time and also to be back from the hayride in time for the Potpourri dance. So, until we see you at the hay ride, "So long!"

Attention!

Those planning to attend Wesley Foundation Hay Ride: You must sign up by Friday noon in the Center. We have to know how many to expect.

Queen Met Queen...



... as the Demons met and bested Tech's Bulldogs at the State Fair in Shreveport Saturday. Shown above are Jean Simmons and Frances Rogers, Normal and Tech queens respectively as they met on the sidelines during the game.

CALENDAR

Friday, October 30

Church: State B.S.U. Convention
Religious Center: B.S.U. Banquet
Open Court: Camp Fire Service—

B.S.U.—10:00 p. m.

R. O. Building: Purple Jacket
Meeting, 6:30 p. m.

Little Theatre: Northwest Louisiana Principal Meeting, 2:00-4:00 p. m.

Private Dining Room FH: Principal Group, 4:00-5:00 p. m.

Stadium: Football Game—8 p. m.

Field House: Dance, "N" Club

Homecoming—10:30-12:00 p. m.

Saturday, October 31

Church: State B.S.U. Convention
Normal Wells: Hay Ride—Wesley
Foundation Party, 4:30-7:30 p. m.

Field House: Potpourri Dance, 9:00-12:00 p. m.

Monday, November 2

Wesley Foundation Cabinet Meeting, 6:45-7:45 p. m.

Auditorium: Rehearsal Davis Players

General Faculty Meeting

Tuesday, November 3

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Auditorium: Rehearsal Davis Players

Mr. Good's Home: Educators Reading Club Meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, November 4

Auditorium: Davis Players Play, 8:00 p. m.

Thursday, November 5

Choral Room FA: A Capella meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

President's Home: Reception 8:00-10:00 p. m.

NEWMAN NOTES

By VERDIE GREMILLION

The Newman Club met Sunday at 6:00 o'clock in the Newman Club house. Anna Belle Landry, president of the Newman Club read a letter to the group concerning the annual convention of the Gulf States Province of John Henry Newman Clubs which is to be held at Louisiana State University, November 7.

Mr. Watson read an article on "Loneliness".

The Newman Club held its initiation on October 11 in the Little Theatre and the following were initiated:

Kitty Bordelon, Mavis Cade, Mildred Courtney, Betty Folse, Gloria Gautreaux, Kathleen Gregg, Patricia Lyons, Fanny Lyons, Clarie Madison, Marion

Marse, Martha Lee Mason, Muriel Moncla, Fifi Modica, Edna Marie Perrin, Lois Pereira, Jane Poleman, Ida Mary Ragan, Clemmie Saucier, Mamei Sterkx, Jacqueline Voohries.

Gabriel Barkate, George Briley, Herman Gauthier, Curtis Guillet, John Guillot, Al Hughes, Purvis Landry, Francis Ledet, J. C. Ledet, Ramon Ledet, Crockett Norris, Ray Perrin, Rudolph Pharis.

Commerce Frat Pledges Eight

By JANE DAVIS

The Pi-Omegans, members of Pi Omega Pi, honorary commerce fraternity, have been putting their best foot forward for the past two weeks. It all started after the records of all eligible commerce majors were checked for a B average in commerce subjects and a high average in other subjects—the requirements for membership in the fraternity. Bids were issued to: Miss Mary Jo Terrill, a new member of the commerce faculty; James Craton, Virginia Leete, Geraldine Love, Billie Sayes, Janis Tooke, Ruth Morphis, and Ju-liene David.

On October 9, 1942 at a combination softball-picnic outing at Ducournau's Camp Misses Sayes, Tooke, Morphis, Love, Terrill, and Mr. Craton were pledged. On the following Monday night an additional pledge service was held for Misses David and Leete.

Of course, the "future members" were "plenty scared up" about passing those stiff tests given in commercial subjects when Friday, October 16 arrived. But to their surprise and also that of the old members they seemed to make a passing grade in the mock initiation. After the mock initiation the serious fraternity ceremonies "were administered." The new members were welcomed into the fraternity after the serious initiation with their favorite eats—chocolate covered doughnuts and cokes.

Officers of Pi Omega Pi for the 1942-43 year are: President, Alleyne Ferguson; vice-president, Ruth Turner; secretary-treasurer, Rosa Dee Lattier; editor, Pi Omega Pi News, Jane Davis; historian, Marjorie Wells. The sponsor of the fraternity is Mr. N. B. Morrison, head of the Department of Commerce.

Scotty Will Carry ...



... the mail for the last time on Normal field tonight when the Demons take on Southeastern's Lions in the annual "N" Club homecoming battle. Captain Scott opened his college career against Southeastern in 1940 when he scored three touchdowns against the Lions.

Normal Beats Tech, 10-6; Fourth Win in Five Years

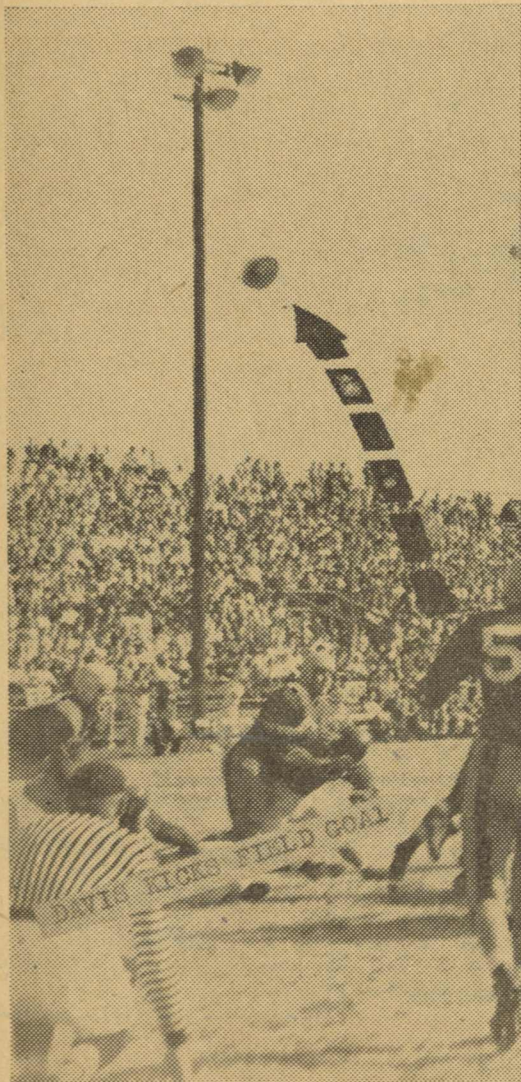
The Demons smashed the high-held heads of the Louisiana Tech football team into the dust of the State Fair grounds in Shreveport last Saturday in a game that, according to Shreveport sport writers was "Normal all the way." The final score was 10-6, Normal. The Demons scored in the first quarter when Johnson went 15 yards through left tackle while the Techsters chased captain Theophile Scott around right end. Davis added the extra point. In the second quarter Davis kicked

a field goal after a pass, Benton to Kilpatrick, had baffled the Bulldogs and placed the ball in scoring position.

Tech scored in the third quarter when officials allowed the completion of a pass, that had fallen incomplete, on a charge of interference. Two plays later the Bulldogs scored.

With four "breathers" in the early part of the season, the Techsters went into the battle untested by real competition and sporting an unbeaten, untied and unscored on record.

The game was Coach Joe Aillet's second loss to Normal in three years at Tech.



This Shreveport Times photo shows Ernest "Stinky" Davis contributing three of the four points he scored in Shreveport Saturday when the Demons whipped the Tech Bulldogs 10-6. Davis is shown kicking a second-quarter field goal that ballooned the Demons' score to ten points. The field goal came after a tricky and well-executed pass from Benton to Kilpatrick who carried the ball to the Tech 2-yard line. After the Demons failed to drive over for the score, Davis dropped back and booted the three-pointer. (No. 46 is a Tech lineman, not Tommy Bambrick.)



STRONG OPPOSITION EXPECTED FROM LIONS IN 'N' CLUB HOMECOMING GAME TONIGHT

Prather Begins Work with 30th Cage Squad Here

The first practice of the basketball squad was held Monday night when about twenty aspirants answered Coach H. Lee Prather's call for the initial workout. Football season will end in three weeks, and the basketball team will then be in position to shape up their team before the holidays. There are several prospects for the cage squad that are now doing their daily dozen on the gridiron.

Some of the old faces that were present at this initial workout were those of Ocie Richie, elongated center; Fay Perkins, versatile forward, Wallace Prather and William Haile, steady guards from last year's team; Jimmie Dupree, Gaston England, Ralph Ward, Ralph Hudson, Glen Elkins, Q. T. Ford, Trueman Crawford, Lee Prather, and J. P. Easley. Easley was ineligible last year but he will be ready to go this year. Among the new prospects were Lamp-

Conference Lead Hangs in Balance for Locals; Reisz Leads Invaders

The Demons will tackle their second conference opponent of the season tonight when they engage the Southeastern Louisiana College Lions in Normal Stadium. The Demons are fresh from a well-deserved victory over Tech's once-proud Bulldogs at the State Fair in Shreveport last week which placed them atop the L.I.C. grid heap and will be gunning for a victory over Southeastern to keep them in the lead.

kin and Shelton, who are sophomores but did not try out last year. The freshmen were Joe Pierson, Graves, Reed, and Hogsett.

The squad will work-out only two or three times a week for a while but this will be enough for prospects are comparatively good this year especially since so many teams have lost boys to the armed services. The only teams which compete in the Louisiana Intercollegiate conference basketball race this year are Normal, Southwestern, Southeastern, and Louisiana Tech. Both Louisiana college and Centenary have abandoned intercollegiate athletics for the duration.

The game tonight will be the seventh of the series between the two elevens. The locals have taken five of the six previous contests and will be looking for their sixth win in seven starts against the Lions.

The invaders, despite a loss-marred record this season, present a formidable array of talent in their starting line-up. Albie Reisz, an Ohio import, is as dangerous a passer as any in the conference and "Turk" Campion, who will lead the downstate forward wall against the Normalites, made the mythical All-L.I.C. eleven last season.

The Southeastern squad opened their season with a 35-16 loss to Southwestern, dropped a game, 13-0, to the strong Pensacola Naval Air Station, downed Camp Beauregard 53-0. Last week they lost a hard-fought game to Northeast Junior College, 13-0.

Last year the Demons barely eked out a 6-0 win at Hammond when they plowed across a mud-clogged Lion goal line in the closing minutes of play to break a deadlock and take their fourth win from the Southeasternites. In 1940 the two teams played one of the most exciting games ever staged on Normal Field. With Theophile Scott, 1942 Demon captain, scoring three touchdowns in a few minutes of play in his first varsity game with the Demons, the Normal eleven took a decision, 32-0, from Southeastern but the Lions made more than twice as many first downs as the locals.

In 1939 the Lions were one of the three teams to score on the champion Purple and White eleven. In that game the downstaters were the only team of the eleven squads faced by Normal that year to tie the score after either team had managed to tally. The Demons won, 18-6. In 1938 the locals had another close one with Southeastern when they eked out a 6-0 win with Willy Black, former Normal halfback, snagging a desperate touchdown pass in the last two minutes of the game.

The Normal squad goes into tonight's battle with several key men nursing injuries incurred in the rough tussle with Tech last week. Toxie Bourn and J. C. Carlin, both senior blocking backs, were injured as were Kilpatrick, senior end, and McFarland, sophomore starting tackle. All four players may be ready for at least limited service against the Lions.

A win tonight will keep the Normal team at the top of the heap in the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference. The win at the State Fair tied the locals with Southwestern, also one-time conference winners. The Bulldogs play Tech in Lafayette this weekend.

A dime out of every dollar we earn
IS OUR QUOTA
for VICTORY with
U. S. WAR BONDS

Choir

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The program will be composed entirely of sacred numbers that will include arrangements from ancient and traditional church music, melodies from the Russian Church service, and modern sacred numbers.

The complete program is as follows:

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring—Bach
Beautiful Savior —Christiansen
Lost in the Night —Christiansen
Choir

Solo Selected
Mr. Saetre
Cherubim Song Bortyansky
To Thee We Sing Schvedor
Only Begotten Son
—Gretchaninoff
Choir

Poor Wayfaring Stranger
arr. Jackson Gatwood
I Wonder as I Wander arr. Niles
Madrigal Singers
Wondrous Love Buchanan
Cradle Hymn Christiansen
The Day is Done Barnes

The Choir also plans to sing for the Vesper service at the opening session of the Louisiana State Teachers Convention to be held in Shreveport on November 22, and plans to sing for the various Army Camps in the vicinity in the near future.

FRESHMEN REQUESTED TO SUBMIT CREDITS

A personal letter was written to each student whose name appears below requesting a transcript of their high school units, but these units have not been received at the Registrar's Office. Therefore, no mid-term grades will be issued to these students unless their credits are presented before mid-term, November 12. Students who do not have their units here, should write the principal for them at once and bring them to the Registrar's Office.

Hazel Adkins, William Arie, Wyatt Atkins, Polly Ballard, Mrs. W. E. Barnhill, Juanita Bass, Thelma Berry, Elma Exa Boone, Norma Brantley, Mrs. C. V. Cocke, Mrs. Frances M. Crow, Robert Edward Doell, Mrs. Ida Mae Dutton, Cleveland F. Greer, Tommie Sue Guier, James Lamar Hogsett, Henry Ella Hunter, Gladys Marie Jones.

Verna Mae Jones, Herman E. Kellum, Jr., Bobby Joe King, Francis Louis Ledet, Ella Mae Martin, Ollie Matthews, Lawrence D. May, Leonard Megason, Felix Jerre Mercer, Atala Nold, Margaret Noles, Rudolph Pharis, Harold Rhodes, Carolyn L. Russell, Mary E. Scroggins, Lynn Steed, J. W. Stine, Laura Vaughan, Mrs. Ruby O. Warner, Mrs. Etta L. Beeler.

W. S. Mitchell, Registrar

NOTICE

Candidates for Graduation
Fall Semester, 1942

Candidates for the degree who expect to graduate this Fall Semester, January 23, please pay the Treasurer \$3.00 for the diploma fee, bring the receipt to the Registrar's Office and sign application blanks.

W. S. Mitchell, Registrar



After a hectic few hours of trying to classify and organize the many little events and incidents of Saturday (and in some cases, Friday and Sunday) in Shreveport, we've almost decided to just skip the whole thing since it seems so impossible to cover the field. What's more, so very few people did anything out of the ordinary (for the occasion) that there really isn't much to say.

First, we're wondering why the members of the band are so sure that they will make this column this week, in toto, en mass, collectively, individually, tempus fugit, et cetera, ad nauseam and omnia Gallia in tres partes divisa est. In words other than those of Julius Caesar, we don't think they did anything that everyone else couldn't and didn't do so they may rest their fears, content in the knowledge that they are now members of the masses.

We didn't see it but there are those who claim that among the more interesting couples who made a day of it were Lee Prather, Jr. and ex-spouse Marianne Cummings.

Under the heading "Things Appropriate" may be classed Sonny Thomas' opening performance at the Student Council luncheon in Shreveport Saturday noon. Striding into the hall (if we may call it a hall), El toro skidded to a three-point landing at the head of the table, ducked his head and announced in a booming base voice, "Now I'll bless this food." He thereupon began to bless and there were those who considered the toothsome meal to have been done up in nice form before Toro had even gotten his second wind. Who knows but what kick-off time at the stadium would have found Thomas still doing his darndest to get that food blessed had not an impatient saxophone player in the orchestra began dropping subtle hints all over the place as he warmed up with "A-Men"—with emphasis.

That fellow Paul Anderson ain't so dumb. Immediately before the jaunt to Shreveport he engineered one h... of a fuss with Fern Brenner and the two of them called their ambassadors and proclaimed a state of hostility to exist. So Anderson goes to the Fair, sans date, returns and trots off Sunday with Mary Jean Swift (scooping, incidentally, a certain party whose name we are too bashful to mention) and generally leads the gay life. Now, with the game and accompanying festivities safely past, Fern and Paul are back together again. Gosh that guy must have saved a wad of money on the deal!

Tommy Bambrick is much better at evading opposing tacklers on the gridiron than he is at evading freshman Locke in the student center. In spite of the fact that Lloyd Kimbrell is doing his best to occupy the young lady's idle hours, she evidently feels the call of patriotism or sumpin' in seeking the company of fellow-Texan Bambrick.

The rally cry for Sammy Griffin is now "ooooohh Sammy" (give a female whimperish, oh-you-great-big-mansy tone to this one) since the night last week when, on foreign soil, the above described voice was heard coming from the rear of a dark station-wagon with, "Oooooohh Sammy, kiss me good!"

Satire From Other Campi

The laugh of the week is the comment on the Fair game which came from the Tech camp Monday morning. The Tech scribe says the Red and Blue team lost because they weren't "mentally right." We agree after watching Carlton Johnson gallop 15 yards for a Demon touchdown while the Tech mentality was concentrated on the flying heels of Theophile Scott who was headed the other way. They just couldn't keep their minds on more than one thing at a time—and, alas, they picked the wrong thing one time too many.



GOVERNOR SAM JONES

Governor to Make
Second Visit to
Campus Monday

For the second time this semester, Governor Sam Jones will visit the campus when he will be honor guest at the annual banquet of Natchitoches parish business men and farmers in the dining hall on the local college campus, at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

In addition to more than 200 farmers and merchants of the parish expected to attend, military leaders from army camps in this area have been invited to the annual affair, chamber of commerce officials stated this week.

Held here for the last several years, the annual banquet is given by Natchitoches parish business men as a good-will gesture toward the farmers of the parish. A professional after - dinner speaker from Dallas, Texas, will give the main address at the banquet, it was announced this week by O. C. Butler, president of the local chamber of commerce.

Chairman of the various committees in charge of the banquet are: Dr. Joe Farrar, program; Vernon Cloutier, arrangements; E. P. Watson, menu; Tom Williams, ticket sales; and R. L. Ropp, publicity.

Local students or faculty members who wish to attend the banquet may secure tickets from Sylvan Nelken, local faculty member.

NOTICE

Mid-Term Grades, Fall Semester

Mid-term grades for the present Fall Semester will be due in the Registrar's Office by noon Thursday, November 12. Instructors should arrange original and duplicate grade slips alphabetically (not by separate classes).

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Potpourri Selects Betty Bell As Sponsor of 1943 Yearbook

Maids, Beauties Presented at
Potpourri Ball Saturday Night

Featuring the presentation of Betty Bell as "Miss Potpourri of 1943," the Potpourri Beauty Ball for Victory was staged here Saturday night in the Student Center. In addition to Miss Bell, the maids of her court and the beauties for the '43 annual were named at the ball.

Miss Bell was chosen Miss 1943 Potpourri by the editor of the 1943 annual and her photograph will lead the feature section of the book. The ten beauties will be ranked by an artist of national prominence.

The beauties and maids were chosen from a list of local coeds which was submitted to a committee composed of women faculty members. The list was compiled by Potpourri officials and nominations were made by various members of the college faculty and Staff. The committee designated ten girls from the list as beauties and the as Maids for Victory.

The twenty coeds chosen as beauties and maids are as follows:

Beauties: Dede Hart, Anne Smith, Margaret French, Patsy Sibley, Louise Hawkins, Marilyn Callender, Billie Elston, Virginia Lea Marmande, Melba Jean Pope, and Melba Law

Maids: Judy Edwards, Rose Langenstein, Em Willis, Thetis Treadwell, Shirley Backes, Julianne Davis, Etoile Mobley, Marjorie Warner, Fanny Lyons and Verna Lou Barnes.

Staged under the direction of Don iMke Stothart, business manager of the Potpourri, the ball featured elaborate decorations in the national colors, the whole against a background representing the Normal columns.

"Hotel Universe" Is Big Success

With the presentation of Philip Barry's "Hotel Universe," their first major production of the current season, the Davis Players showed Wednesday evening that in this, the season of shortages, none has yet been felt in the realm of dramatic talent on the campus.

The theme of the play was the re-generation of a group of Americans of the "Lost Generation" through the mystical effect of the Hotel Universe on the French Riviera. Each is transported back into his life through supernatural means, and re-enacts a crucial incident which occurred during his formative years.

Charles Roberts was outstanding as Pat Farley, whose intent to commit suicide was changed by his reliving of his first meeting with Ann Field, played by Virginia Leete. She was most natural in this, her first major role.

Betty Bell, as the cynical, disillusioned actress, risen from squalid beginnings, lived up to past performances, while Vernon Warren, as a Catholic who had lost his faith, was most convincing, especially when he reverted to his boarding school days. Gwendolyn Sylvest, as his wife neglectful of her husband because of her

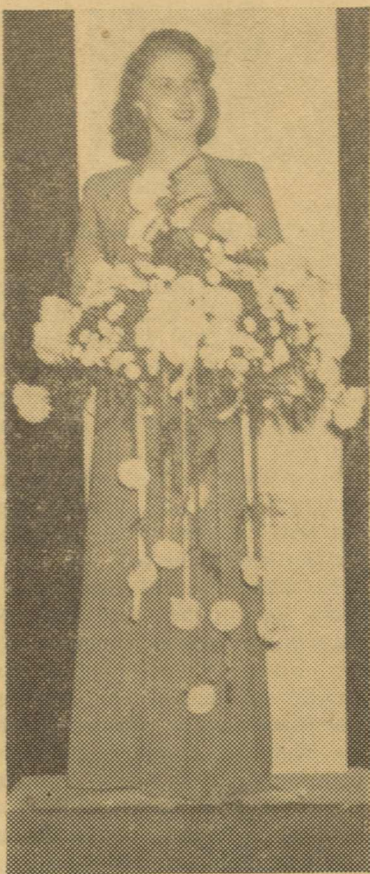
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Bell of the Ball

Betty Bell of Franklin, was named "Miss Potpourri of 1943" at the Potpourri Beauty Ball last Saturday night. She was attended by a court of ten maids of honor and the ten beauties whose photos compose the feature section of the 1943 annual. Miss Bell's photograph will occupy the honor position at the head of the section.

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK

The Current Sauce will not be published next Friday because next week is an "examination period." The paper is published each week during the year except during vacation and examination periods. The next issue will be published Friday, November 20.



NOTED HINDU AUTHOR WILL LECTURE IN LYCEUM PRESENTATION MONDAY NIGHT

Eve Mouton of Normal Faculty Joins the Waves

Miss Eve Rita Mouton, head of the department of French at Normal for the last four years, has



been commissioned a Lieutenant (j. g.) in the United States Naval Reserves and will leave the campus this week for Smith College, Northampton, Mass., where she will receive a month's training before being assigned to active duty.

A graduate of Southwestern Institute in 1923 with the A. B. degree and of Duke University, in 1936 with the M. A. degree, Miss Mouton has taught in the public schools of Louisiana for 14 years. She came to the State Normal college in 1938 from Lafayette high school where she was a supervisor of French. While on leave of absence last summer, she studied Spanish in the University of New Mexico.

Shridharani, the most popular and authoritative lecturer on India on the American platform, will address the students, faculty and others here on Monday, Nov. 9, at 8 p. m. The subject of his lecture is "The Storm Over India."

Dr. Shridharani, author of the best seller, "My India, My America," and the current challenging book, "Warning to the West," has been lecturing throughout the United States for several seasons, in an attempt to promote the same understanding of his native country that Pearl Buck accomplished for China.

Long associated with both Gandhi and Rabindranath Tagore, Shridharani is well acquainted with the multitudinous political ideas of India, and he interprets them into simple terms which the average American can well understand. Moreover, he knows the United States as a resident of long standing and a traveler to every one of the forty-eight states.

There is an ancient Hindu proverb which says: "Only friends warn; enemies strike." Dr. Shridharani will develop this theme in detail when he speaks here.

All eyes are turned toward India these days as the inevitable battleground of Asia, and Americans find it difficult to understand the failure of both the British and American missions which went to India to gain that country's war support. Dr. Shridharani explains that it is not enmity for the West nor friendship for Japan which promoted the action of the All-India Congress, but rather a desire for freedom above all else.

India, he says, will never aid Japan, for she looks forward to the day when she can join the great brotherhood of democratic nations throughout the world.

Krishnalal Shridharani was born in the State of Bhavnagar, India, into the caste of Vaishyas, or business and professional men. He was educated in native schools. When relatives pressed him to continue his education in England,

CAMPUS BEING ORGANIZED FOR PARTICIPATION IN WAR WORK

Organizations' Heads to Meet Monday
Night at Student Welfare Dinner

The entire campus is being organized for intensive participation in the war effort it was announced here last week. Miss June Cooley, faculty member, is in charge of the mobilization.

Pres. Joe Farrar Attends Meeting In Philadelphia

Dr. Joe Farrar, president of the college here, returned Saturday from Philadelphia, Pa., where he attended the meeting of the American Association of Colleges.

While on the trip President Farrar stopped over in Washington, D. C., where he interviewed Army and Navy officials in connection with the services which the college here might be able to render in the war effort.

President Farrar was accompanied on the trip to Philadelphia by Dr. Joseph E. Gibson, director of higher education in the State Department of Education; and Dr. Hollis Long, a representative of Southwestern Louisiana Institute, Lafayette.

The first big gun of the coming campaign will be fired in the private dining room of the student center Monday night when the presidents of all campus organizations will be the guests of the Student Welfare Office, under the direction of Dr. Andrew Hunt, at dinner.

Already in operation on the campus are several war enterprises but student participation is not so great as authorities feel is necessary. The Red Cross Surgical Dressing Room has been in operation for several weeks but many local coeds are not yet participating in this activity.

Miss Cooley has issued a call for local students to tithe their free time for national defense. Recommending that 108 hours of the 168-hour week be devoted to such necessary items as sleep, meals, classwork, etc. Miss Cooley points out that every local student should devote at least one tenth of the remaining 60 hours, or six hours, to participation in war work.

The dinner Monday night will quicken the pace of mobilization of local students. Each president who attends the dinner will have an opportunity, to learn of, and help make, plans for the enrolling of every member of his organization in some activity for national defense.

The number of man-hours spent by the members of each organization each week is to be published in The Current Sauce.

Besides the support of the surgical dressing work and the Veterans' Fund and the buying of war bonds and stamps, local students are needed for a variety of activities including actual work as Red Cross Junior Hostesses and study in First Aid and other important fields.

Armistice Plans Feature Salute To Fighting Men

Soldiers of World War I will salute the fighting men of World War II here Wednesday in the college's first war-time Armistice Day celebration. The day's activities will include a parade through the streets of the city and a special program in Fine Arts Auditorium at which Chester P. Derveloy of Alexandria, Louisiana Department Commander of the American Legion, will be the featured speaker.

The day's program, in keeping with war-time conditions, will feature a tribute to the men now fighting for the nation from the veterans of America's participation in the first World War, rather than the traditional Armistice Day salute to Peace.

Beginning at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, the parade will form at the New Court House in downtown Natchitoches and will end at the Fine Arts building on the campus. With the college band leading, members of the American Legion and other ex-soldiers, the Legion Auxiliary, the American Red Cross, the Boy Scouts of America and representatives of

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SOLDIERS TO BE GUESTS OF PAN-HELLENIC AT COLLEGE DANCE SATURDAY

There will be an all-student formal dance in the Field House, Saturday night, November 7, from 8:30 to 11:45 p. m. This dance is to be sponsored by the Pan-Hellenic Association. Soldiers from Camp Polk will attend. All girls and boys of the college are cordially invited to participate in this social event.

he chose rather to attend Gandhi's university.

Marched With Gandhi

In 1930, he was one of the sixty selected by Gandhi to accompany him on the famous March to the Sea. Shridharani, with Gandhi, was arrested for civil disobedience and sentenced to three months in

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Bulldog Reasoning

Louisiana Tech's reasoning process has again missed a couple of cogs as has been exemplified many times before, not only on the gridiron but in the field of argument as well.

The "famous" column known to a few Tech followers who read it as "Bulldog Bites" is a par excellent example of the type of mental gymnastics indulged in by the Ruston scribes.

Pointing to the Demon-Lion game here Friday night, the "Biters" first proclaim the fact that the Demons did nothing but punt the entire second half (when the local eleven scored their game-winning touchdown and extra point) and blame "unbalanced heads" for what they call "Normal's bad performance."

Then after asserting that the Normal team and fans are unduly proud of themselves for beating the Bulldogs, the upstaters launch into a bitter tirade against The Current Sauce for treating the matter as a routine win!

Even if we were anxious to prostitute reason to the whims of the Techsters we still would not know how to go about it. They are equally resentful of the fact that, as they see it, we are conceited over our victory over the Bulldogs and of the fact that we did not represent the State Fair win as the most world-shaking event of the past decade.

After all though, we think it best to just smile indulgently at the almost perennial childishness of the Ruston writers and forget the matter—content in the knowledge that the Demons play Southwestern for the conference championship tonight while Tech must win their homecoming game to keep out of last place. The records are in the books and Tech is in the cellar, 'nuff said.

Alma Mater Gets Tough

Chancellor O. C. Carmichael called the students of Vanderbilt University into general convocation in Neely Auditorium the other day and said to them: "Those of you who are not in earnest about your college work and who are at Vanderbilt only to play should enlist in one of the armed services before today's sun goes down."

To those who are studying seriously and meeting scholastic requirements he said: "Remain in college and continue to equip yourself mentally and physically for such call as your country may make. Any man capable of being an officer who does not attempt to qualify for such service is going back on his country."

That was straight talk, in consonance with the Vanderbilt tradition. College is no place now for playboys, loafers or maladjusted souls. Perhaps it never was, but now there is no excuse for the harboring of dilettantes, wastrels and human misfits.

On the entire academic front, there is a cracking down on the casual students. Princeton only last week barred the utilization of commercial tutoring systems by pupils about to face examinations for which they had neglected to study. "Cramming," the time-honored process is called.

It looks as though the war is going to give new values to college in the minds of American youth. For too many years it has been regarded by too many young men and women as a place for four years of social enjoyment and ostentation.

Now Alma Mater seems to have a hickory switch in hand.

—Atlanta Journal

Society



By BETTY BELL

Last Friday night society went to a football game. Old man weather got his signals crossed and did his best to dampen (but literally) the spirits. Some groups of fans sounded like the third grade on "poetry drill", "it isn't raining rain to me, it's raining daffodils"—huh! if "them" were daffodils, make mine petunias. double-thick raincoat!

In spite of everything 'twas a great little game, and the "N" Club Dance topped things off like ice cream on apple pie—it was strictly a la mode! The orchestra was there already warmed up and via the sax, trumpet, etc., they scored an extra point. Although the "harmy" has drained the club of a lot of its man-power, the affair was quite scrumptuous.

I'm Predjudiced, BUT . . .

. . . Saturday night Don Mike Stothart put on a "one man show" done to a turn as brown as that of Tiffany Thayer's. Congratulations, son, as chairman of the Potpourri Victory Ball you did a beautiful job; it was a lovely party ("natcherly", that's a biased opinion). What we fondly call dancing began at 9 o'clock with the King's swinging like everything. About 10 o'clock, with a blare of trumpets and a spot of lights, the Maids for Victory, Beauties, and Miss Potpourri were individually introduced. Each gal strolled from backstage to her place on what looked like a Zeigfeld conceived set. The whole effect, very striking, was one of steps of femininty—About twenty good arguments for anti-celibatists. After a fifteen minute intermission for cokes or what have you (rather, what had you) the merry mix-up started again. Time broke some sort of indoor record, what with the sprinting it did. All too soon, everybody was "out" on the stroke of twelve.

Hay You!

Saturday afternoon the Wesley Foundation went on a hayride in real wagons, drawn by real horses (you know, those hunks of synthetic rubber and gasoline). The destination was Normal Wells and, they claim, there's something about that rural life when its supplemented by "sto'-bought" games and the very urban hot dog, coke and doughnut combination. More than seventy-three say the outing was quite the stuff and, like the Frenchman, how could they be wrong?

So now I lay me down to rest awhile and worry about what's for copy next week. I'd rather answer something easy like—how long is duration?

WESLEY FOUNDATION

We don't want to boast, but even if we were outsiders, we should have to "hand it to" the recreation committee for making the hayride on Saturday evening a great success. Real horses, three wagons, plenty of hay, and a group of seventy-three young people full of the Halloween spirit—all this spelled a good time.

And it was a good time from the very first minute. We rode out to Normal Wells, where we built up enormous appetites playing

Capital to Campus

Jay Richter Reports from Washington
(A. C. P.)

NYA and Colleges

Contrary to some opinion, college students can still get considerable aid from the National Youth Administration.

The NYA appropriation for this school year was cut from \$11,000,000 to \$7,000,000—but the amount available to each student remains the same as it was before Congress trimmed the agency's sails.

However, no aid is forthcoming for students who aren't enrolled in courses which aid successful prosecution of the war. Courses which so qualify are designated by college administrative officials.

A minimum of \$10 per month and maximum of \$25 may be earned by an NYA student, although the Washington office of NYA is putting up a battle in Congress for a maximum of \$35 to \$40 a month. The idea is that now, if ever, competent students should be given every opportunity to develop skills desperately needed in war time.

LOST, Brown leather wallet containing cash, valuable papers and receipts. If found, please notify Ray Perrin, Room 213, Brick Shack or Dr. Hunt. Reward.

Y.W.C.A. INITIATES FRESHMAN CABINET

Sunday afternoon the Y.W.C.A. held its annual calling and initiation of the Freshman "Y" Cabinet. The purpose of this cabinet is to work with the senior cabinet in achieving the aims of Y.W.C.A. for the year.

An impressive program was given in which Service as a desirable characteristic of a "Y" member was discussed.

Those selected for the Freshman Cabinet are:

Jimmie Slawson, president; Kathryn McCarty, vice-president; Elizabeth Vaughn, secretary; Marion Morgan, treasurer; Lottie Tarver, publicity; Mary Lynn Seegers, program director; Julia Collier, Morning Watch; Dorothy Walker, devotional; Joy Lindsay, social service; Johnnie Sprawls, social; Allie Lee Aycock, pianist; Tossye Lee Hewitt, chorister.

ABSENTEE REPORT FOR WEEK OCTOBER 26-31, 1942

276	students absent from classes —30.7 per cent of Student Body
98	men
178	women
88	Freshmen—31.7 per cent of Freshman Class
97	Sophomores—40.2 per cent of Sophomore Class
50	Juniors—27.9 per cent of Junior Class
41	Seniors—20.2 per cent of Senior Class
276	
136	ill—48.9 per cent of absentees
21	pre-arranged absences — 7.6 per cent of absentees
32	justified—11.6 per cent of absentees
61	not justified—22.1 per cent of absentees
12	extra-curricular activities— 4.3 per cent of absentees
10	errors in reports—3.6 per cent of absentees
4	tardy but reported as absent 1.4 per cent of absentees
1	resigned—.4 per cent of absentees
276	
526	class hours missed
66	called in for conference
30	reported tardy

Tires Fly, Sing; Movies Stink

A letter mailed July 26 by a pen pal in New Zealand has been received by Gladys Jones, freshman on the campus. Since it passed the censor it reads in essence:

"I have a beautiful cold as a result of the changeable weather—a few weeks ago it was lovely—every prospect of an early spring . . . last week it has rained and hailed . . . several people went in swimming Sunday.

"The air was full of tires (not rubber—but large feathered ones with blue-black and white plumage) feeding on nectar from the flowers and singing like bell-birds—with many notes too high for perception by the human ear.

"Pictures I have seen lately are: Five Little Peppers in Trouble, Men of Boy's Town, and South of Suez. I have not seen Honky Tonk, but on Friday night I saw Shepherd of the Hills and Little Nellie Kelly. I was disappointed in the former, for although the scenery was beautiful, the plot was not like the book.

"I went skating Wednesday and succeeded in falling and putting the knee out of my stocking (as well as getting a beautiful knee), and then I promptly fell over one of your—and tore my other stocking. Luckily they were old ones (stockings or men—it isn't definite). As I was going around a corner this soldier happened to be in front of me . . . began to do a few fancy twists and turns . . . not able to stop . . . down we both went . . . (some of it was censored; we can't know what she must have called him.)"

We Suggest . . .

by Y.W.C.A.

A good plan for "getting away from it all" is that used by the Mount Holyoke College students in the form of an Outing Club.

The girls have a cabin four miles from the college to which they make week-end and overnight trips. As many as twenty girls can be there at one time, cooking their own meals before taking a hike. In the Fall and Spring they cook outside the cabin.

Wouldn't that be worth trying anywhere?

outdoor games. Then came refreshments—hot dogs, chocolate covered doughnuts, and Russian tea.

On the way back the sky overhead was sprinkled with stars and the air was brisk. We sat there piled atop the hay and sang enthusiastically, "O Suzanne", "Deep in the Heart of Texas", "God Bless America", Alma Mater", and many other songs.

This vigorous outing did us all good. The energetic spirit was carried over into the Sunday programs. A great many good points were made on the topic of our present series of discussions, "Disciplined Christian Living." Misses Chandler and Jean Vasburg, in the morning and evening programs respectively, brought out the thought that discipline does not destroy liberty but rather enables one better to enjoy freedom. This discussion will be continued next Sunday and we hope to have a large number of young people there to add their ideas to this worthwhile subject.

Demons Play For Crown Tonight

Luck, Tripp Win From Lions, 7-6

Luck, prayer and big Hurley Tripp played the leading roles in a hectic, rain-marred game here last Friday night as the Demons barely squeezed out a 7-6 win over the Southeastern Lions to remain undefeated in the conference.

The first half was scoreless although each team threatened to score on several occasions. Normal penetrated the Southeastern 10-yard line twice just before the half ended but was unable to score. The slippery field and ball made deception, a Demon strong point, nearly impossible.

The locals were the first to score. Captain Scott took the ball over from the seven-yard line in the third quarter. Davis converted to give the locals a seven-point lead.

The Lions came raging back down the field soon after the Demons tally. With Manly taking the ball over after a crushing drive, the downstaters pulled to within one point of the Normal eleven. Reisz's attempt for the extra point was low and partially blocked.

In the closing minutes of the final frame the Lions penetrated the Demon 10-yard line no less than four times but each time the Normalites revived from their trance and hurled back the frantic Lion drives. The last threat, and most serious, found the Southeasternites needing about one foot for a first down on the Normal four-yard line. Three drives at Hurley Tripp, Normal lineman, failed to gain the necessary twelve inches and the Demons took over and punted out of danger.

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Demon Dust

By W. E. TIMON

It took some powerful "sweating" from the sidelines, but the Demons won a game from Southeastern and will play Southwestern at Lafayette tonight for the championship of the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference. With the championship at stake, this year's clash with the Bulldogs will be more hard-fought than usual, and the Demon-Bulldog games are always dog-eat-dog.

For the second straight week, the educated toe of Mr. Earnest "Stinky" Davis was Normal's margin of victory. Last week he kicked a field goal and an extra point which were the deciding points in the Demons' 10 to 6 victory over Tech. In the Southeastern game, his conversion of the extra point won the game for the Demons by a score of 7 to 6.

The Demons will not be in top-notch condition for the Bulldogs after two hard games in a row in which several men sustained injuries in each game that will probably keep them out of the battle with the Bulldogs.

The way in which the Demons held their ground once Southeastern got inside Normal's ten yard line was a fine display of the will to win. The Lions spent the whole second half in Demon territory and were continually threatening, but the Demons held their one-point lead.

The fine defensive play of Bollier, Tripp, and Davis in the game with Southeastern was a major factor in the Demon goal-line stands. These boys were continuously breaking up the Southeastern attack and but for them the game would probably have been a different story.

Normal will be seeking revenge in their game with Southwestern tonight. The Demons have not fared so well in the past few games with the Bulldogs, especially the ones played in Lafayette. This will be some of the boys' last chance at the Bulldogs and they will certainly be after a victory over the Cajuns.

Locals Crippled for Crucial Game; Bulldogs Favored

For the third time in four years the Demons and the Bulldogs of Southwestern will meet in a game to decide the championship of the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference when the local eleven tangles with the downstate squad in Lafayette tonight.

First Tourney of 'Mural Program Nears Finals

Five teams went into the quarter-finals of the horseshoe doubles division of the intramural program this week it was announced by tourney officials.

With less than 16 teams entered in the contest this year it was necessary to award byes to three pairs of contestants which enabled them to go into the quarter-final round. Two other teams advanced by virtue of victories over first-round opponents.

Richie and Perkins defeated Hussey and Sudbury and Joens and Doell downed Foard and Lampkin in opening-round matches. Bambrick and Lutgring, Hudson and Johnson and Scott and Southerland reached the quarter-finals by virtue of byes.

Table Tennis to Begin

Entries in the table tennis tourney, the next event on the current intramural program, will be received at the men's gym from Friday, November 6 to Monday noon, November 9. Competition in the new tournament begins Monday afternoon, November 9.

The stock-room in the basement of the men's gymnasium is open week days from 3:00 until 5:30 p. m. and on Saturday afternoons from 2:00 until 5:30. The stock-room contains all the equipment necessary to participation in any of the various intramural tournaments.

W.A.A. Volleyball Tourney Won by 'Panther' Team

The 1942 W.A.A. volley ball tournament was completed here last week with the "Panthers", a team composed of Ida Simpson, Virginia Loomis, Thelma Presly, Polly Evans, Dorothy Walker, Mary Cap, Adele Knight and Billie Sayes, sweeping through an undefeated round-robin tournament to win.

The speedball tournament opened Thursday night following the close of volley ball competition Tuesday. The new tournament is under the direction of Thelma Presly.

The Panthers took their volley ball ohampionship by defeating the Demonettes in two straight games, the Little Imps twice in a three game series and the Umphs in two straight.

The Umphs, Little Imps and Demonettes tied for runner-up honors with each team winning once and dropping a pair of contests.

With the Demon squad crippled after two hard-fought games and with comparative scores in games with mutual foes this season giving the Bulldogs a one to three touchdown advantage on paper, the Normal team will answer the starting whistle tonight as definite underdogs.

Both teams come up to tonight's game with unblemished conference records. The Demons won their first L.I.C. victory at the State Fair in Shreveport two weeks ago when they dumped the highly regarded Tech Bulldogs 10-6. Last week the locals barely scraped through, 7-6, against the Lions of Southeastern. The Lafayette Bulldogs opened their conference season with a convincing 35-13 win over the Lions and patted the badly deflated Techmen, 12-7, last week.

To Decide Champ

The game tonight will give undisputed possession of the 1942 L.I.C. crown to the winner and will name the first team to win the four-year old loop's grid crown more than once.

The Demons won the L.I.C.'s first football championship in '39 when they remained undefeated and untied for the season with a 7-0 win from Southwestern in the last game of the season. In 1940 the Bulldogs from downstate beat the locals, 12-7, to gain possession of the title and last year Tech's Canines topped the conference heap.

Locals Crippled

The Turpinites go into the crucial game minus the service of at least one starter with others on the partially injured list. Cotton Meagher, senior end, is out for the season with an injured shoulder incurred last week's "N" Club Homecoming game. Arnold Kilpatrick, another senior wingman, is still nursing a leg injury incurred in the rough game with Tech.

Two other seniors, J. C. Carlin and Toxy Bourn, both quarterbacks, will not be in top form for the game. Bourn has been off top form since the season's opener against L.S.U. and Carlin is still nursing a hand injury suffered in the State Fair battle.

Other members of the Purple and White squad were ill this week, suffering from stomach disorder.

Battle Always Close

Proof that the "dope bucket" cannot be depended on when the Demons and Bulldogs clash was found this week when a study of the two teams' encounters during the last ten years showed that each has won five games during that time and that each has scored exactly 46 points against the other over the period. No team has won a game by more than eight points during the past ten years.



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Hindu Author—

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jail. Here, in this brief period, he wrote two of his most popular books.

He continued his studies at Rabindranath Tagore's famous international university, where there were teachers from all over the world. His two American teachers added zest to his growing ambition to finish his education in the United States. Following graduation, he was awarded a scholarship from the Maharajah of Bhavnagar for higher studies in this country.

He arrived in the United States in 1935, enrolled for degrees at Columbia University. To understand America better, he bought a "jalopy" and toured the country at every vacation. He has acquired three degrees, and his writings on India have been published in the New York Times, Current History and several other magazines.

In 1939, his first book in English, "War Without Violence," was published. Two years later he wrote "My India, My America." It was a comparison of the two civilizations, and immediately became a best seller. "Warning to the West," his latest book, is a pattern for world cooperation, which is being seriously studied by diplomats and military strategists.

Admission for all students is secured by presentation of coupon number 6.

Armistice—

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the Army and Navy will participate in the parade.

Following the parade, an eleven-event program will culminate the day's formal activities on the campus. Chester P. Derveloy, featured speaker, has been active in Legion work for many years and is an experienced speaker.

In addition to local students and faculty members, all local Legionnaires and Legion Auxiliary members are expected to attend the program.

The program is as follows:

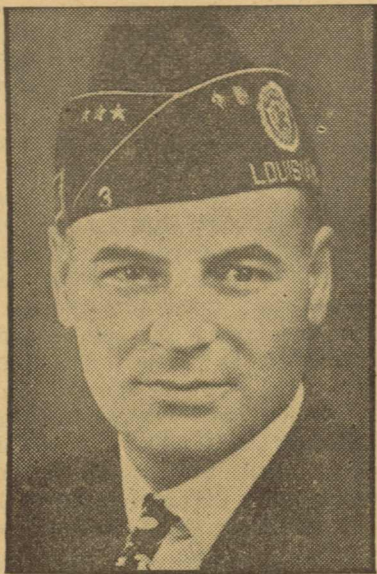
1. Selection of State Normal College Band
2. Advancing of Colors
3. Oath of Allegiance to the

Name Contest

Opens Today

Today marks the opening of a "name contest", sponsored by the sandwich shop on the corner diagonally across the street from the women's gymnasium. Formerly Morris Sandwich Shop, the business has been taken over by Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowie, who are inviting Normal students to give the place a new name.

Entries may be turned in at the sandwich shop any time before November 15, and the management is offering \$3.50 in trade for the name it considers best. The shop is open for the students, Mr. Bowie stated, and so it is only fitting that the students should give it its name.

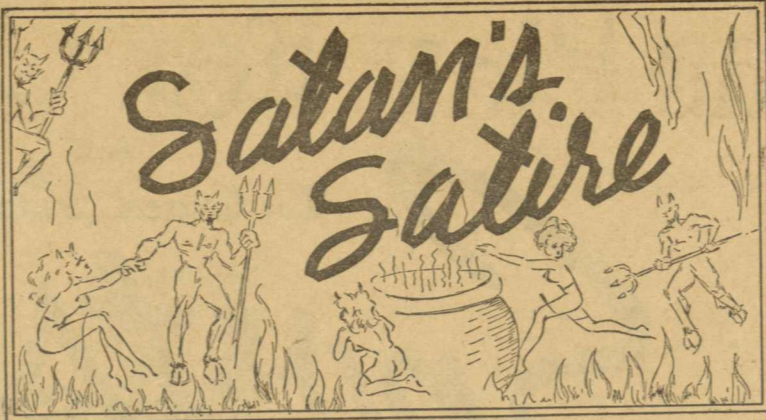


CHESTER P. DERVELOY of Alexandria, who will make the patriotic address at the American Legion's Armistice Day program here next Wednesday at the Normal Auditorium.

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4. "America"—The Band and Audience
5. Prayer by J. Alphonse Prudhomme, Chaplain
6. "Over There" by State Normal College Band
7. "Education Serving War-time Needs" by Dr. Joe Farrar
8. Red Cross Activities by Miss Carmen Breazeale
9. Address by Hon. Chester P. Derveloy
10. One-minute silence by the audience
11. "Star Spangled Banner" by the audience.

Officials of Gordon Peters Post announced this week that the public is cordially invited to attend the Armistice Day celebration.



Speaking of absent minded professors, our nomination for the title goes to Charles Cunningham, one of the campus' few eligible-bachelor instructors (O.K., so that is a matter of opinion). The time was about two different times, which is the reason for all this. The place should have been Shreveport. The characters are our dashing (?) English prof and some dame in the Ark-La-Tex city. To make a long story shorter than it might be, C. C. had it all fixed to make a day and night of it with this cutie come the State Fair and the accompanying football game. He wrote letters and got things arranged. Came the day before the big day and there was professor out in the cold! He had made his date for the week-end before! Cutie had been stood up and C. C. was doomed to a womanless trip.

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Are you lonely? Does your heart yearn for the man or woman of your dreams? If so, there is happiness in store for you, for there is a national agency which helps lonely people like you find their life mates. Their list includes all kinds, both sexes. There are old ones, young ones, blonds, brunettes, etc. All you have to do is tell them how lonely you are and give them a nominal fee of five bucks, and names and addresses will start coming your way. For the address of this philanthropic enterprise, and for further information, consult one Jo Ann Faith.

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That "big sister" business in the local sororities is strictly bunk. That's our opinion after hearing this sad story: Penny Clark, freshman of no little charm, has been receiving weekly visits from one Lt. John Leman. Week after Louie came around and things were looking serious. Then, as "little sisters" will do, Penny introduced her Romeo to "big sister" Edleen Gunn. No sooner had the introduction been made than Leman and Gunn decided that they were made for each other. Leman is still making his regular visits but now he's dating Edleen!

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And the guy who stayed in hot water all the time he was on the campus got back to his old tricks as soon as he popped back for a quick view of the old familiar S. Kent Buckingham, last year's Pot-pourri editor, sent a telegram to the present yearbook staff this week announcing: "Get me a date Friday night. Arriving 9:30. Elizabeth (Burford) arriving Saturday." Always willing to help a friend, the boys lined Buck up with Betty Bell for an evening of it tonight. Then Kent got to town only to pull out almost immediately for Lafayette, leaving word that la Bell was not to expect him. Upon receiving the sad (?) tidings, Betty just yawned and replied, "Oh that's alright, I've gotto study anyway."

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When Binky Leete enacted the scene in which she recovered her lost love in "Hotel Universe" the other night, there was at least one member of the audience who took her seriously. At least that is our opinion after noticing that Sonny Thomas is back on that old kick again.

"Hotel Universe"

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children, carried her part well. Dennon Homes, as the international Jewish financier, offered a striking contrast to his recent performance as "the man" in "The Man Who Came to Dinner". His affectation of boredom was particularly effective, and his reluctance to profess his love for Alice Kendall, played by Peggy Myers was touching. Miss Myers' sleep-walking scene, in which she revealed her love for him, was essentially dramatic and polished.

James Taylor, in the supporting role of Ann's eccentric father, and Tommy Thompson, as Felix, the austere French butler, added to the professional quality of the acting.

The set portrayed a terrace on an estate in southern France, once a resort hotel, but now a private home, and was a thing of sheer beauty. The lighting was especially effective in sustaining the atmosphere and mood of the play.

The play was directed by Annetta L. Wood of the dramatics department.

The production staff is as follows:

Assistant Director—Thera Stovall

Stage Committee—Charles Roberts, James Taylor, Vernon Warren and Harvey Laing

Lights—James Taylor and Murray Rushing

Property—Trudy Herrin, Maxine Bell, Lillian Blel, Dorothy Cleveland and Marjorie Warner

Advertisement — Evelyn Davis, Edith Weber and Helen Riddle
Tickets—James Craton.

ORGANIZATIONS HELP IN WAR WORK

Arrangements have been made to have the Surgical Dressing Room open on Friday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:30 o'clock, and Saturday afternoon from 1:00 to 5:00 o'clock. Be sure and wear a wash dress or smock and have something with which to tie up your hair.

Below are listed the names of organizations, the number of workers, and the total number of hours that these organization members have worked.

Organization	No. Workers	No. Hrs.
Pappa Delta Pi	10	20 1/2
Delta Sigma Epsilon	4	6 1/2
Purple Jackets	11	20 1/2
Euthenics Club	16	25
Wesley Foundation	29	38
Pi Omega Pi	3	3 1/2
Newman Club	9	12 1/2
Pi Kappa Sigma	8	11 1/2
Theta Sigma Upsilon	4	5 1/2
Westminster Club	4	5 1/2
Canterbury Club	3	4
Alpha Sigma Alpha	7	13 1/2
Pi Delta Epsilon	8	10 1/2
A Cappella Choir	8	11 1/2
Y.W.C.A.	14	16 1/2
Total	133	205

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Notice To Graduates—Fall, 1942

Candidates for the degree must pay a diploma fee of \$3.00 to the Treasurer, bring the receipt to the Registrar's Office, and fill out application blanks during the coming week. After November 13, a fee of \$1.00 will be charged for late registration.

W. S. Mitchell,
Registrar

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Farrar Sees Two Jobs For College During War Time

Speaking on the Armistice Day program held last week in the Fine Arts auditorium of the college, President Joe Farrar opened the observance of National Education Week here by pointing out that the job of higher education is to train youth so that they may contribute the maximum to the war effort and to educate them for the peace to come.

President Farrar's address is as follows:

"We are fighting a war which at the moment we are not winning. Every American is a participant. It cannot be repeated often enough that modern war is a struggle between peoples, not merely between armies, and that the people with the greatest resources, plus the greatest determination, are the people who will win.

"The job of Higher Education in this struggle is two-fold. Its first job and right now the most important one is to so train the college youth of America that they may contribute their maximum to the war effort. Standard curricula and the pet hobbies of the academicians must be shelved for the duration and every effort of higher education devoted to winning the war.

"Our second job and one that eventually will become as great as the first has to do with educating for the peace that is to come. Every person in the field of higher education, whether instructor or student, must understand clearly to what end this war is being fought. It is not being fought only to rid the world of Hitler and Hirohito and the things they stand for, although this only would make it a worthy cause.

"We are fighting also because we still have a vision and a faith in a great dream that may still come true, in spite of betrayals and denials and mistakes in the past. In the words of President Roosevelt, 'The true goal we seek is far above and beyond the ugly field of battle. When we resort to force, as now we must, we are determined that this force shall be directed toward ultimate good as well as against immediate evil.'

"Higher education, therefore, must train the college youth of America not only to make their maximum contributions toward winning the war but to take their proper places and perform well their proper functions in the post war world. To do our job well we must have faith and a vision, and a willingness to sacrifice ourselves in the interest of humanity. On this anniversary of the closing of the last World War, it is my hope and prayer that we on this campus—student and faculty alike—may resolve that we shall not be found shirking."

HOLIDAY NOTICE

Thanksgiving holidays begin officially at noon tomorrow and extend through Sunday. College officials emphasized this week that all students must return to the campus in time to be present for their first class Monday morning.

Intramural Debating Planned to Replace Intercollegiate Program

The 1942-43 forensic season at the college opened Friday night when a preliminary meeting of students interested in debating was held. R. L. Ropp, director of forensics, announced that two questions will be debated this year by local students, one in an intramural debating tournament and the other in a national radio program sponsored by the American Economic Foundation of New York. Both questions are open to every student enrolled in the college this semester.

The intramural tournament is a new feature of the campus forensic program. It is being introduced to help take the place of the annual intercollegiate competition which the local college has participated in for the past 12 years. The intercollegiate program has been tentatively abandoned for the duration of the war because of difficulties in traveling.

The regular Pi Kappa Delta question, Resolved: That the United Nations should establish a permanent federal union with power to tax and regulate commerce, to settle international disputes and to enforce such settlements, to maintain a police force and to provide for the admission of other nations which accept the principles of the union, will be used by the intramural debaters. Plans are being made to stage a regular tournament on the campus with appropriate prizes to be offered winners in both the affirmative and negative sides of the proposition.

In the national radio debate the question will be: Resolved, that American youth should support the re-establishment after the war of competitive enterprise as our dominant economic system. Rules of this contest provide that students must submit a 500-word outline of their speeches before January 25, 1943, and then if selected deliver a 7½ minute speech over the Blue network between February 15 and March 15, 1943.

With sectional prizes amounting to \$50 and \$25 for first and second places, respectively, in the first round of debates, the national debate to be given at New York on April 18, 1943, will carry prizes of a \$1000 war saving bond and a cash prize of \$250 for first place and a \$500 war saving bond and \$125 cash for second place.

The discontinuance of intercollegiate debating by local students brings to a temporary end 12 years of successful competition by college teams. Over the period, intercollegiate debating has carried local speakers into more than 1600 intercollegiate contests at nine tournaments throughout the South. During this period Normal representatives have won 31 championships and have placed second in 22 and third in 14.

Spoiled Potpourri Photos To Be Re-Made Later

Potpourri officials announced this week that any pictures which were spoiled in taking here last week will be re-made at a later date. Students should watch for the announcement of these re-takes.

Proofs of pictures made will not be shown this year but the finished pictures will be shown later to prospective buyers of re-prints and enlargements.

Normal Coeds Are Shown in Current Collegiate Digest

Three local college coeds, Kitty Bordelon, Thetis Treadwell and Mary Sue Collins, are pictured in the current issue of Collegiate Digest which is distributed as a part of The Current Sauce.

The picture features one phase of the college's part in the war effort, the assistance rendered by local students in gathering the bumper cotton crop grown this fall in the farm land surrounding Natchitoches.

The picture was made by Curtis Guilette, Potpourri photographer, for R. L. Ropp, director of publicity at the college.

Normal Y.W.C.A. Sponsors Sunday Music Hours Here

The Young Women's Christian Association of the Louisiana State Normal College announced this week a series of musicals to be presented in the drawing room of Varnado Hall each Sunday afternoon, from 4 until 5:30 o'clock. The first of the series was given on Nov. 22, with the second scheduled for Dec. 12.

The purpose of the musical program is to bring to the resident students, townspeople and soldiers from nearby camps a music hour especially designed to enhance the appreciation of good music and to provide a background for social contacts among students, citizens of the city, and the men wearing the uniform of Uncle Sam.

A special committee was appointed this week to compile the available recordings into a series of topical programs. The series will include selections of familiar or popular operatic arias, favorite symphonies, waltzes, spirituals, art songs and chamber music (string ensembles, with occasional notes on the lives of composers or the story behind the composition, it was announced. The program for December will include familiar Christmas songs and carols and selections of the "Nutcracker Suite."

The Young Women's Christian Association and the college administration cordially invite all residents of the city and all guests of Natchitoches to attend the Sunday afternoon music hour planned for those who enjoy good music and good company.

Towns Resigns to Enlist in Navy; Farewell Banquet Planned Tonight

Music Head Came Here In 1938

The war struck another blow at the college faculty here this week when Sherrod Towns, head of the department of music, announced that he is resigning his chair at the college to accept a 2nd class pharmacist's mate rating in the United States Navy.



Towns will leave Natchitoches Friday for the Navy indoctrination school at Pensacola, Fla. A farewell banquet will be staged in his honor here tonight by the local chapter of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, national honorary music fraternity of which he is a member.

Towns is in his fifth year at the college having come here in September of 1938 to take his present position as head of the department of music. At that time the music faculty consisted of six members besides the new head. The department reached its peak in 1940 when it consisted of nine full-time faculty members and one faculty assistant.

Since Towns came here the department has moved from the old music building, no longer in existence, to its present quarters in the north wing of Fine Arts building.

The departing department head was awarded his Bachelor of Music degree from the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music in 1929. After taking further work at the Conservatory he transferred to Louisiana State University where he won the Master of Music degree in 1934. Since that time he has done further graduate work in his field at the University of Michigan.

As yet his successor has not been definitely appointed.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Tuesday, Nov. 24-Thurs., Dec. 3

Tuesday, November 24
Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, November 25
Thanksgiving Holidays begin at noon.

Monday, November 30
Classes begin 8:00 a. m.
Little Theatre: Junior Dramatic Club Practice, 6:00 p. m.
Wesley Foundation Cabinet Meeting, 6:45-7:45 p. m.

Tuesday, December 1
Little Theatre: Junior Dramatic Club Practice, 6:00 p. m.
Sorority and Fraternity Night, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, December 2
YWCA House: Kappa Delta Pi Initiation, 6:30 p. m.
S300: Euthenics Club Meeting, 6:30 p. m.

Little Theatre: Junior Dramatic Club Practice, 6:00-10:00 p. m.
Student Center: Informal Dance 6:30-7:45 p. m. Dance Band will play.

Thursday, December 3
Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.
Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.
Educators' Reading Club Meeting (Faculty) 7:30 p. m.
Little Theatre: Junior Dramatic Club Plays, 8:00 p. m.

One-Act Plays to Be Presented by Junior Dramatics

Four one-act plays ranging from light comedy to serious drama will be presented to local students by the Junior Dramatics Club in the Little Theatre of Fine Arts at 8:00 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 3. No admission will be charged.

"Don't Feed the Animals", a light comedy, is the first play listed for presentation at the program. It is to be followed by "Escape by Moonlight", a serious drama, and "Too Many Sweethearts", involving a romantic mix-up. An all-girl cast has been selected for "What Are We Going to Wear?", the final presentation of the evening.

Faculty and Choir Appear at L.T.A. Meet in Shreveport

Twelve members of the college faculty appeared on the program of the Louisiana Teachers association meeting in Shreveport on Nov. 22 to 25, officials of the college announced.

In addition to the participation of the members of the teaching staff here on the annual program, the A Cappella choir of 60 voices under the direction of Walter Mason of the college music faculty sang three groups of numbers at vesper services in the First Baptist church at 4 p. m. Sunday. The annual alumni luncheon of the college will be held in the Skyline room of the Washington-Youree hotel at 12:15 p. m. Tuesday, Leroy S. Miller, secretary of the association, stated.

Members of the faculty named to appear on the sectional programs at the annual convention are: Dr. Sarah L. C. Clapp, English; Mrs. Bess T. Kendrick, elementary language arts; Mrs. Elia

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Editorials and Features

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Petitions or Bandages?

Two thousand students and members of the faculty of Hunter College signed and sent to Congress the other day a petition in favor of the anti-poll tax bill. That, comments a Washington scribe who writes exclusively for the collegiate press, is a commendable gesture that should be multiplied elsewhere.

We are peculiarly unimpressed by both the action of the Hunter students and by the advice of our Washington correspondent. **We cannot see the advantage of college students taking time off from studies and war work—or even from dances and dates, cokes and candy bars, to help a few Congressional busybodies meddle in the private affairs of a few states.**

During past weeks we have heard a host of speakers warm up their vocabularies and go to work on the Southern Congressmen now fighting to preserve to their constituency the right to decide upon matters which are and ever have been strictly state affairs. A thousand newspaper editorial writers in states which have no poll tax laws—and need none—have suddenly become acutely aware of the tremendous effect which the passage of the anti-poll tax measure might have on our allies.

After reading and hearing some of their wordy comments we can almost see British Tommies pausing in their mad pursuit of Rommel's battered German forces in North Africa to pant out a speech of heart-felt thanks to the authors of this measure. Or perhaps the coolie soldiers of China will raise their chop sticks in grim salute to the men who seek to strike this magnificent blow for liberty. Meanwhile, they tell us, a band of Simon Legrees is attempting to filibuster this particular Little Eva to its death beneath the ice of a people's disapproval.

They cry out that the bill's opponents are wasting time, yet they favor those who initiated the entire stupid affair.

Now, not content with their own verbosity, they would enlist the energy and time of college men and women in this campaign of bigger and better indignation-laden oratorical blasts. We can think of at least a thousand better ways in which to spend time, money and postage stamps.

We suggest, for instance, that the students of this college write, not to congress, but to mom and dad telling them to make that Christmas present a war bond. While others draw up petitions to heal the soul wounds of the victims of the poll taxes, let our girls busy themselves in the Surgical Dressing Room rolling bandages for those who bleed real blood from real wounds made by Axis bullets.

Then, with several thousand more bandages in the hands of the Red Cross and at least one less petition in the Congressional waste basket, we can go out and pitch a party or curl up with a good book—in either event we will be demonstrating that we know the difference between **help and hindrance.**

WESLEY FOUNDATION

What's what in the Wesley Foundation? This question is answered by a clever little booklet recently completed by the local group. A page is devoted to each of the commissions: worship, Bible study, world friendship, personnel, recreation, public relations, literature and training, drama, peace education, church relations and finance. For all of these there are drawings by Leonard Kimbrell, and brief descriptions. The Wesley Foundation hopes that every Methodist student on the campus will get one of these pamphlets and become better acquainted with the organization. Copies are to be obtained in the Wesley Foundation Center.

The Peace Commission was in charge of the meeting Sunday evening at 6:30. Clarie Russell presented an interesting program, which included discussions of "The Stand of the Methodist Church in the War."

MARINE RECRUITING OFFICER TO VISIT NATCHITOCHES DEC. 9

Sgt. Natal J. Cullia of the United States Marines will be in Natchitoches on December 9, it was announced this week. Although Sgt. Cullia will be principally interested in recruiting men for the ranks of the Marine Corps, he will be able to give men interested in the Marine Reserve Corps information concerning this branch of the Marines.

CAPITAL TO CAMPUS

Jay Richter Reports from
Washington
(A.C.P.)

Notes On War

Congress has passed on legislation ordering colleges to give students pre-military training. Nor is there a Student Army Training Corps as in the last war. Yet.

Many colleges report that 70 to 90 per cent of their students are enrolled in one or another branch of military forces.

The army expects to get about a third of all its officers from college campuses.

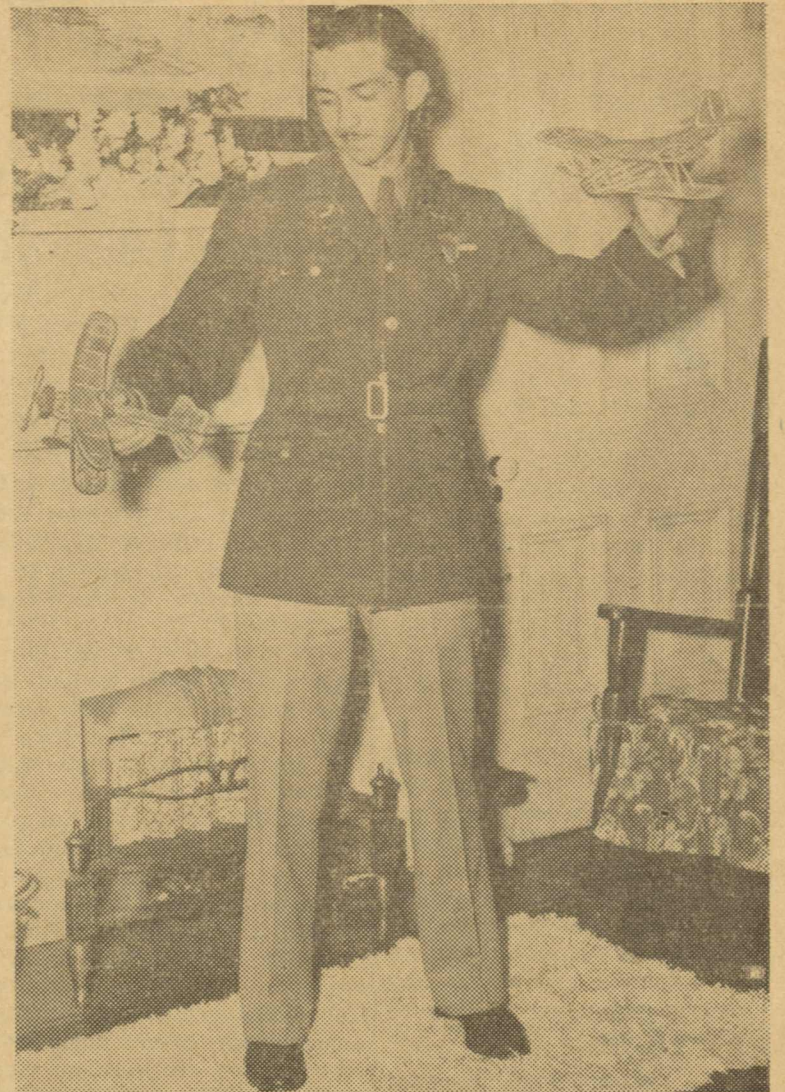
Colleges themselves will train about 250,000 men this academic year for the Student Enlisted Reserve Corps, the army and navy ROTC.

Another 250,000 will be sent from the services to colleges for specialized training.

Besides that, 50,000 men now in uniform will receive instruction through army correspondence courses offered by 77 colleges.

Furthermore, some 800,000 men and women will receive training this year, in 250 colleges and universities, for technical work in war plants.

Normal's First War Hero . . .



. . . Captain Randall Keator is shown above with the model planes which he built as a child.

Captain Keator, Normal's First War Hero, Describes Life On Bataan At Special Assembly

"We ate horse meat and rice—until the horses ran out, or rather until we ran out of horses—then we ate rice." That was the report of one phase of the heroic defense of Bataan Peninsula given Normal students by a man who was there, Captain Randall Keator, the college's first hero of World War II, when he spoke in assembly here Wednesday.

Captain Keator, a graduate of the college in 1939, was the first American flier to shoot down a Jap plane in the Philippines on December 8. He is credited with knocking down at least two Zeros and probably a third in the initial engagement of the battle for the Philippine Islands. He has been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross.

Captain Keator escaped from Bataan the day it fell. Cramped in the compartment of a P-35,

All in all, 1,350,000 men and women will be provided the use of college facilities so that they may take an active part in prosecuting the war—either in combat service or in industry.

Despite the fact that regular
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he was involved in a crash landing at midnight near the island of Leyte. He remained in action in the Pacific until two weeks ago when he returned to the States for a 15-day leave at his home in Campti.

Stressing the fact that he was glad to return to the campus, Captain Keator made reference to his former life as a student of the college and went on to describe the battle for the Philippines. With little mention of his own part in the fight—a part that has already been told by American newspapers and magazines—he impressed his audience with hardships endured by the defenders of the Pacific stronghold. After the supply of horse meat was exhausted, the American fighters on Bataan lived on two rations of rice daily, Captain Keator stated.

During the brief leave the returning hero has been honored by both his home community of Campti and the City of Natchitoches and the college. A huge crowd of townspeople and visiting friends welcomed him home upon his return to Campti from the Pacific two weeks ago and he was honored at a giant reception in Natchitoches, Saturday evening, November 14. Later that same evening he was the guest of honor at the Junior Class dance here on the campus.

Also speaking at the special assembly here Wednesday was Miss Hazel Bratley, national regional nutritionist for Louisiana, Texas, and New Mexico. Miss Bratley emphasized the necessity for conserving foods of all kinds.

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1942 Gridsters Have Big Season; Cat Family Gives Plenty Trouble

The 1942 edition of the Normal Demon football team has every reason to be leary of cats—not just black cats but all kinds—or so the record of the local gridsters seems to indicate. Playing an eight-game schedule, the Turpinites came through with six wins and two losses for their most successful season since 1939 but both losses were handed the Demons by "cat" teams while a third feline squad, the Southeastern Lions, gave the locals the scare of their lives.

First Round to Tigers

The feline-phobia developed at the very first of the season when the Purple and White traveled to Baton Rouge to go down, 40-0, before the swamp-bred cats of L.S.U. The University team had too much power and too many reserves but the Normal dark-horse line proved itself under fire in that battle.

Revenge

Opening their home season on September 25, the Demons forgot their fracas with the Bayou Bengals and got temporary revenge on the cat family when they pasted the East Texas Lions, 13-0. The win gave warning of Demon power as the locals had little trouble in downing the Texans who later went on to win the championship of the Lone Star Conference.

Another pack of cats from the Lone Star Conference, the Sam Houston Bearcats, came to Natchitoches October 2 and went home on the wrong end of a 26-7 score. With freshmen and other reserves playing much of the game, Normal scored early and then spent the rest of the game in polishing its aerial attack. Sam Houston scored from the 2-yard line after recovering a fumble.

With two victories in three starts the locals stayed at home for the third consecutive week as they continued their victory march October 9 by downing a soldier team from Camp Beauregard, 68-0.

JOY!

A week's rest followed the Beauregard slaughter and then, on October 24, the Demons and practically the entire local student body trekked to Shreveport for the all-important battle with the Bulldogs of Louisiana Tech at the State Fair. Rated as underdogs by three to five touchdowns on the basis of records against mutual foes and because the Techsters were undefeated, untied and unscor-

ed on, the Normal eleven took charge from the opening kickoff. Scoring in the second quarter on a beautiful play with Carlton Johnson carrying the ball, the locals led 7-0. Later "Stinky" Davis got a field goal to balloon the lead to ten points. Tech scored on a pass interference allowance and a nice running play late in the game and tried desperately to tally again but the timer's final gun found the Demons still ahead, 10-6.

The week after the State Fair battle was "N" Club homecoming and there were those cats again! This time it was the oft-beaten Lions of Southeastern who came to town with blood in their collective eye and (we suspect) water wings beneath their jerseys. The Turpinites scored in the third period, Davis kicked the extra point and then the rest of a very wet and rainy night was spent in fighting the Lions away from the Demon goal line. Southeastern scored once, failed to convert and then dabbled in the chalky mud of the locals' ten-yard stripe for fifteen long minutes only to lose, 7-6, as the Demons took a close one.

Hail the Champs

Taking to the road, the Normal eleven went south to Lafayette to invade the kennel of the Southwestern Bulldogs with the bone of contention being the L. I. C. championship. The Bulldogs boasted a big, experienced squad and were playing on home soil but the Demons scored on the first ten plays of the ball game to take the lead, 6-0. Southwestern scored in the second frame and after that it was all Normal. In the third and fourth quarter the downstaters had their hands full protecting their own goal line and could not muster any offensive power as the Demons scored three points on a field goal by Davis and two more when Ed McDermott hauled "Rapid Robert" Votier to earth behind his own goal line for a safety. Final score: Normal 11, Southwestern 6.

With the conference championship in their possession, the Demons traveled to Arkadelphia, Arkansas for their last game to take on the formidable Lions of Ouachita College. A second-quarter shoe-string catch of a 20-yard pass was good for a Ouachita touchdown and the margin of victory for the Arkansas team.

In addition to winning the conference crown and blowing over six opponents of the eight played, the Normal eleven rang up

FINAL L.I.C. STANDINGS

	G.P.	G.W.	G.L.	Pct.
Normal	3	3	0	1.000
S. L. I.	3	2	1	.666
Tech	3	1	2	.333
Southeastern	3	0	3	.000

135 points to their opponents 71. This gives the locals an average of almost 17 points per contest to an average of 9 points for the opposition. The Demons scored 114 points on touchdowns, 13 via the extra point route, 6 points on two field goals and 2 points on a safety.

Demons Win L. I. C. Crown With 11-6 Triumph Over Southwestern Bulldogs

Bambrick, Davis, McDermott Score

The Normal Demons became the first team to win the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference football championship more than once when they beat, 11-6, more experienced Southwestern eleven in Lafayette two weeks ago. The win left the locals undefeated and untied in L.I.C. circles this season.

The Demons scored in the opening minutes of the game as they drove down the field to score in 10 plays after taking the opening kickoff. Tommy Bambrick, junior fullback, sparked the drive and scored the touchdown. Davis missed the kick for extra point.

Southwestern's big red team came right back in the same period to tie the score as freshman George Lamboussy drove over the zero stripe from the Normal one yard line.

The second quarter was scoreless as both teams tried to break the deadlock.

The Demons came back strong after the half and drove deep into Bulldog territory only to be held within the shadow of the goal posts. Unable to cross the line for a touchdown, the locals called upon Ernest "Stinky" Davis to boot the ball through the uprights for three points and the lead. Continuing to threaten throughout the third and fourth frames, the Demons were unable to tally again until late in the fourth quarter when Ed McDermott, Normal end and alternate captain, hauled Southwestern's Bob Votier to the ground in the Bulldog end zone for two more points.

The Demon sophomore line, the unknown quantity earlier this season, more than held its own against a bigger, more experienced Lafayette forward wall. The

INTRAMURAL PROGRAM LAGS; THREE TOURNEYS UNDER WAY

Defending Champs Likely to Repeat In Ping-Pong, Horseshoe Competition

With the defending champions leading both events, the intramural ping-pong and horseshoe singles tournaments made some progress here last week but the horseshoe doubles tourney has stalled with no action accruing for the past two weeks. The next tournament, volleyball, is scheduled to begin shortly before the Christmas holidays.

Paul Marx, director of the intramural program, announced recently that prizes will be given to the winners of the first three places of all tournaments in this year's competition. It was previously thought that awards would not be given winning contestants.

Ralph Hudson, winner of the 1941-42 horseshoe singles tournament and runner-up in the 1940-41 contest, went into the semi-finals of this year's competition this week with a victory over John Sudbury, his quarter-finals opponent. Five other contestants, Ocie Richie, Ivan Woodward, Alden Vige, Porky Southerland and H. G. Hawthorne, have reached the quarter-final rounds of the tournament with one more quarter-finalist, the winner of the Theophile Scott-Carleton Johnson match, to be decided.

Ping-Pong

In the ping-pong tournament, Albert Saucier, defending champion has entered the quarter-final round with a win over Phillip Orr. All other contestants are in first or second round matches at present. The Saucier-Orr match was hotly contested as Orr extended the 1941-42 winner to three games. Saucier won the first and third games, 21-16, losing the second encounter, 16-21. Two other games have been played in the match. Henry Garner advanced to the second round with a victory over Wallace Prather and William Bains came through his first round match, winning from Herman Gauthier. Eight other contestants, Perkins, Johnson, Sudbury, Plunkett, Lampkin, Vige, Hussey, and Kilpatrick, advanced to the second round by virtue of byes. Four first-round matches remain to be played.

Consolation Tourney

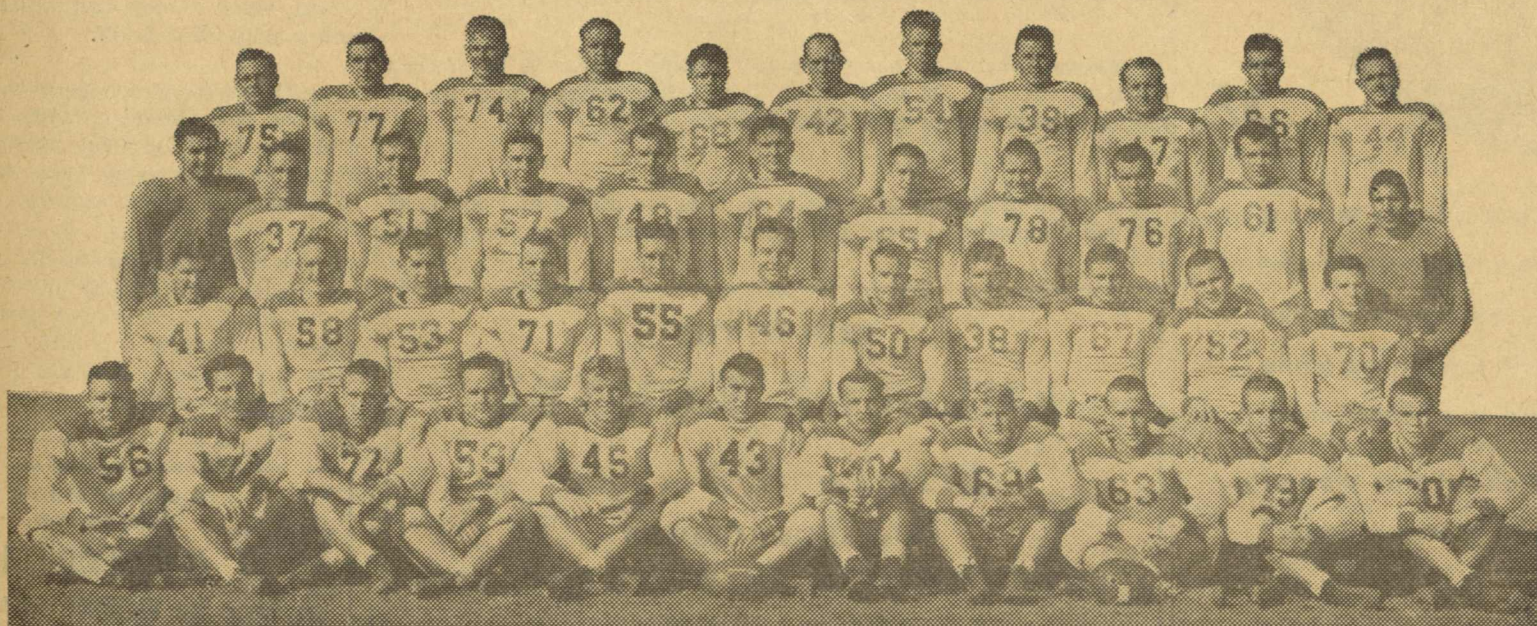
For the first time in the four-year history of the intramural program at the college, a consolation tournament is being arranged for the ping-pong competition with first-round losers being eligible for entry. Phillip Orr, Leonard Megason and Wallace Prather have entered the consolation division to date. With nine byes having been given in first-round competition, many second-round losers will also be awarded places in the consolation tournament.

Hibernating Horseshoes

The horseshoe doubles tournament players appear to have gone into hibernation for the winter as no matches have been played in this tourney for more than two weeks. Three teams await competition of first-round matches in order to play quarter-final engagements while two pairs of players are ready to play for a spot in the semi-final round.

The stock room, located in the basement of the men's gymnasium is available to local students for recreational activities. All students are urged to take advantage of the opportunities offered here.

Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference Champions



These Demon gridmen are the 1942 Champions of the four-year old L. I. C. after thrashing Southwestern, 11-6, two weeks ago. They also boast of an undefeated and untied record in the S. I. A. A.

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War Loans For
Physics Majors

Paul V. McNutt, director of the War Manpower Commission, last week amended the student war loan plan to give special encouragement to students majoring in physics.

The rule specifying that a college must have ten qualified majors in a certain field before any student in that field was eligible to receive a war loan, has been abolished for physics majors. They may now apply within 24 months of graduation for a war loan to continue their studies.

About 500 physics majors attending colleges and universities which have small physics departments are now for the first time eligible for war loans, the Office of Education estimates.

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Smoke Gets In Your Eyes

Hardly had the smoke of thirty strong cigars cleared from the basement of Caldwell Hall—put there because Ralph McFarland was announcing to fellow Taus that he has pinned Dot Brock—than we witnessed an event which will probably start Big Mac a-sizzling and a-smoking himself. 'Twas Saturday night in our home town and though the old juke box was still grinding along as merry as ever, we darn near broke down when we saw Dorothy on front street looking pleased over an invitation from some of the younger local males to "Le's go sit in the car." Our sudden appearance caused some consternation in their midst but we'll bet the family sugar book that Dot wasn't overly long in heading for the waiting war chariot. Meanwhile, where was big Mac?

The student body president is a dirty low-down schemer—that's the opinion of the student body vice-president after McSwain and a bottle of olive oil went out with Sonny Thomas the other night.

We Wonder

Observers who are "in the know" are shaking their heads doubtfully over the chances of the 1943 Potpourri appearing per schedule this year considering the recent accent on romance of editor E. P. Dobson. By the grace of the current man shortage, innumerable gallons of gas, a fistful of cameras and a hustle-buggy deluxe from the hills of Chestnut, the diminutive yearbook big shot has flitted from pillar to post (or East Varnado to "B", if you will) of late. Opening with the Sauce's Betty Bell, E. P. has sandwiched a few lasses in between and is currently storming the bastions of Lester Cifreo's Marilyn Calendar. Meanwhile the Potpourri threatens to become another memory.

In the same category as the Love-Turner affair is the recent attraction of Toxie Bourn to "B" Dormitory's Sylvia Dee Hooks.

Still on the beam is the romance of Myrtis Simpson and Mr. Five-by-Five Warren Allen.

This Week's Feature

Lucky Strike Green has gone to war and so has the self-confidence of Clyde Andrews and the endurance of local telephone operators after some interesting events of last Friday night. Searching for feminine companionship, Andrews first solicited the company of Evelyn Burford for an evening of merriment. When Burford reported that she "had to study bookkeeping", Clyde became suspicious and summoned Lester Cifreo to the phone. Cifreo called Evelyn, just to satisfy Clyde's curiosity and lo and behold, Burford gave him a date! Strike one on Andrews. Strikes two and three were delivered by Virginia Lea Marmande and Tilly Robinson both of whom just flat declined the privilege of dating our victim. Strictly again' the rules, Clyde took a fourth swing when he called up Betty Roberts. Somehow, Betty was persuaded to go out with the now despairing Andrews. Then, come time to go, she failed to appear! By now Citizen Andrews resembled the German army at Stalingrad. My but that guy has stamina! Strictly disgusted but still trying, he took out his car and collected all the loose women in sight and headed for the bright lights. Now we wonder why the guy showed up in his room at 9:00 p.m. as sick as the proverbial horse.

Puppy Love, who never has run smooth, seems to be settling down to one girl. Or so it seems to us after seeing Puppy in the rather constant company of Betty Turner.

And inconspicuous but strictly there is the billing and cooing of football manager Raymond Ledet and president manager Peggy Far-rar.

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B. Culp, modern language; H. J. Sudbury, psychology; Miss Clio Allen and R. L. Ropp, speech; Paul Marx, health and physical education; Miss Florence Rush, and E. H. Haynes, vocational education; and A. T. Browne, elementary principals.

Dr. C. E. Dugdale, head of the department of languages, and Miss Annetta L. Wood of the speech department will represent the college here as official delegates to the convention. The State Normal College faculty holds 100 percent membership in the state teachers association.

Capital to Campus

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student enrollment has dropped, colleges throughout the nation are cram-packed with the greatest assemblage of men and women ever gathered on their collective campuses.

That's not a bad war record.

Foot Notes On War

Harvered has a one-month course for army chaplains. Some 300 men of all creeds and sects attended classes at the old university.

The lid is being clamped down even harder in Norway. No church hymns may be sung which contains the word "Devil" because Quisling believe the reference is to Nazis, a logical enough assumption on his part.

Another decree imposes the death sentence upon Norwegians who enter or leave occupied territory without permission and who listen to forbidden broadcasts. "Forbidden" are all those other than Nazi and Nazi-controlled broadcasts.

Capitals To Campus

A recent release of the government's Office of War Information notes that "a critical situation confronts every woman who cooks with gas." It seems that if she doesn't conserve it, there soon may be no more gas to cook with.

Pressed for an interpretation, officials admitted that you might take a woman's gas from her, but you'd never keep her from cooking with it.

Correspondents were glad to have that one straightened out.

Education Elsewhere

Going into effect at once is a Vichy order for all French schools to put German down as a must course. Until now students could choose between English and German.

A student at Christian college in Bergen, Norway, wrote a paper in which he referred to the word's in John's Gospel, "The son shall make you free." The Nazis confiscated the paper because they believed it was a reference to the Crown Prince Olav.

That word "free" has always been a sticker for Adolf.

French publishers are permitted no more than enough paper to print one-third of the normal number of school books. Paper for other purposes is out entirely.

Tokyo will eliminate the Dutch and British educational systems in Sumatra and Malaya in favor of another "which will fully develop the mental and physical faculties of the natives."

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Lorane Brittain Becomes Head of Music Department at Normal College

Lorane Brittain was named acting head of the Department of Music and Mrs. Sherrod Towns was named temporary instructor in piano and theory during the absence of Mr. Towns who was granted a leave of absence last week to enlist as 2nd class pharmacists mate in the United States Navy, officials of the college announced this week.

Mr. Brittain holds the Bachelor of Music and the Masters of Music degrees from the American Conservatory of Music at Chicago, Ill. He has also attended the University of Chicago, the James Milliken University and Conservatory at Decatur, Ill., and Kansas State Teachers College at Hays, Kan.

Coming to the State Normal College in 1930, Mr. Brittain served as acting head of the department of music from 1934 to 1936. His work in the department has been largely in the fields of piano and music theory. He has appeared in several concerts during the last 12 years here, the most recent having been in a joint recital with Mr. Towns in Shreveport two weeks ago.

Mrs. Towns holds the Bachelor of Music and the Bachelor of Arts degrees from Louisiana State University. She has taught private lessons in piano in Alabama and Michigan for five years and has accompanied Mr. Towns in all of his concerts during the last ten years. Mrs. Towns also coached students in harmony at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music during one session.

Other members of the faculty and administrative staff at the State Normal College, who have left the campus during the last year for war duties are: Dr. Joe N. Gerber, director of student welfare; Guy W. Nesom, head of the department of health and

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The Day of the Revolution Is Properly Celebrated; Arie Stars

When the historians of two hundred years hence start probing into the records of the doings at Louisiana State Normal they will most likely find at least half a dozen Petty-girl calendars with the date December 2, 1942 circled in bold red. If their curiosity leads them to further research they may discover that on that fated date one Mutt Slade was seen galloping in full retreat toward the underside of the nearest co-op table while numerous other curiously shaven-headed young gentry were either attempting similar retreats or were submitting to severe disciplinary treatment from various other young gentry—not so shaven headed.

Which all leads up to the fact that December 2 was "dog day" in Caspari hall in celebration of the famous "Revolution of 1936."

1936

On that day, December 2, 1936, one Frank Eason, among others, led a revolt of freshmen athletes against their traditional masters, the upperclassmen. The upstart neophytes lasted for at least

Coeds Failing In War Work

A report on coed work in the campus surgical dressing room for the month of November, released here this week by Esther Cooley, campus chairman of coed war work, reveals that considerably less than one-third of the women on the campus have taken any part in the rolling of surgical dressings for the Red Cross. The report shows further that those working have devoted only approximately three hours per month to the work.

Miss Cooley stated earlier this year that she is asking local students to thithe their free time for war work. Of the 168 hours of each week students are advised to devote 108 hours to such essentials as study, sleep and meals. Of the remaining 60 hours, one-tenth, or six hours per week, is the quota which officials are asking coeds to devote to work in the surgical dressing room.

During the month of November only 180 workers, far less than one-third of the more than 600 local women students, participated in the preparation of bandages and these 180 students devoted only 567 hours of their time to the work for the entire month. This gives the workers an average of about three hours per month and means that for women students as a whole, less than one hour each month is being devoted to war jobs.

During the month's period 13,735 bandages were prepared by those working. A computation of these figures shows that more than 25 times as many bandages, or close to 350,000, could be turned out here if all coeds thithed their free time for war work.

thirty minutes before the aroused sophomores, juniors and seniors, brought them to justice a la the famed "Board of Education".

Easons

This year the day of the Revolution was duly celebrated as two of the original Frank's brothers, Rudy and Bill, played important parts in the ceremonies—Rudy as a persecuted "dog" who was hauled from his bed at 6:00 a.m. to be soundly thrashed and Bill as a pompous sophomore who took a leading part in the thrashing.

Some Tough

Not all the frosh were so easily tamed though. Some, including the aforementioned Slade, as well as dogs Kellum, Rhodes and Arie, were wily enough to anticipate the proceedings. Those four arose early and slipped from the dormitory in time to escape, temporarily, the efforts of the upperclassmen to bring them to justice.

Rhodes, though, was cornered in the college dining hall at 6:25 while Slade was driven from the co-op kitchen 30 minutes later.

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LORANE BRITTAIN

Forensic Club to Hold Second Meet Tonight in F. A.

The second forensic meeting of the year will be held in room 4 of the Fine Arts building at 7 o'clock tonight, R. L. Ropp, director of forensics, has announced.

Plans are being made to form a radio club in connection with the intramural program of forensics on the campus with several broadcasts over stations in the state scheduled for next year, it was announced. Two debate questions will be discussed this year, one on the radio and the other in a tournament here on the campus.

Prizes in war bonds and stamps will be awarded winners of first and second places in both contests. In addition to debate and radio, contests will also be held in extemporaneous speaking and oratory.

All students enrolled this semester are eligible to join the forensic club. Previous experience is not necessary, it was pointed out this week.

The Ledger

1918

Normal students were cheerfully experiencing meatless and wheatless days—sitting through classes in buildings that were entirely unheated—spending every extra hour in war work—girls knitted and rolled bandages—boys practiced military drill and physical training—both supported the war effort financially and otherwise.

1942

Tech sold \$3,000 worth of war stamps in one day.

Southwestern sold even more war bonds between the halves of one football game.

Former Normal students were fighting and dying on the battle fronts.

Normal girls averaged less than one hour per month in war work.

War stamp sales on the campus were less than in the elementary school last year.



Third Annual "Deep Purple" Variety Show To Be Staged In Fine Arts Tuesday Night

Sophomore Dance To Be Held Here Tomorrow Night

The sophomore class will stage its annual dance here Saturday night, Dec. 5. Tommy Thompson, sophomore president, announced this week.

Approximately 150 soldiers from a neighboring army camp have accepted an invitation to attend the affair as guests of the sophomore class. Their attendance will allow for a boy's tag, Thompson further stated.

In the event that difficulties of transportation prevent the attendance of the soldiers, the dance will be a "merry mix-up."

Admission is 30c for stags and 50c for couples.

Choral Group to Perform at P.T.A. Meet December 16

The college Choral Reading Group and dramatic students will take part in the monthly meeting of the P. T. A. of the elementary training school when they present a program of Christmas readings and one-act play in the Little Theatre of Fine Arts building here December 16.

The program will mark the first appearance of the choral group here this year. They appeared in programs this summer and during the regular 1941-42 session of the college.

"Christmas Windows", a one-act play by Mayme Christensen and Flora Frick, will feature a combined cast of college and elementary school students. The Choral Reading Group will present "Twas the Night Before Christmas" and the Christmas Story from St. Luke.

The program is under the direction of Theora Stovall, college teacher of speech. All students and faculty members are invited to attend.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday, Dec. 4-Thursday, Dec. 10

Friday, December 4

R. O. Building: Purple Jacket Meeting, 6:30 p. m.

Saturday, December 5

Normal Wells: B.S.U. Council Picnic, 4:00-8:00 p. m.

Student Center: Sophomore Dance, 8:30-11:45 p. m.

Monday, December 7

General Faculty Meeting, 4:00 p. m.

Wesley Foundation Cabinet Meeting, 6:45-7:45 p. m.

Old Social: Phi Alpha Theta Meeting, 6:30-8:30 p. m.

Auditorium: Practice for Deep Purple Show

The third annual "Deep Purple" talent show will be presented in Fine Arts auditorium here Tuesday night, December 8, beginning at eight o'clock. The show will be built around a "Mother Goose" theme with a cast of all-campus talent.

The "Old Lady Who Lived in A Shoe", will occupy the center of the theme throughout most of the show as local students portray, musically and otherwise, her children. Such well known offspring of the mythical old woman as The Lady In Red, Alice Blue Gown, the Jitterbugs, and many others will be a part of the evening's program.

Sponsored annually by the Purple Jacket Club, honor and service organization for women, the "Deep Purple" show has become a campus favorite. Talent is gleaned from all parts of the campus for the wide variety of types of entertainment usually presented.

The program this year will be similar to previous performances but will feature more centralization of theme and less formality of division between the various parts of the program, the sponsors announced this week.

Phi Mu Alpha to Present American Music Program

Gamma Rho chapter of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, national music fraternity, will present their first annual recital in Fine Arts auditorium here December 15. The program will consist entirely of American music.

The recital is a traditional part of the year's activities for all chapters of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia and the program here will mark the first staged since Gamma Rho chapter was organized last spring.

All members of the local chapter including Walter Mason, Lorane Brittain, Dwight Davis and Gilbert Saetre, faculty members, will take part in the recital.

Tuesday, December 8

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Private Dining Room, Field House: Faculty Dinner, 6:00 p. m. Auditorium: Deep Purple Show, 8:00 p. m.

Wednesday, December 9

Old Social: Theta Sigma Party, 5:30-6:30 p. m.

Student Center: Christmas Party for Faculty

Thursday, December 10

Choral Room F.A.: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Old Social: Freshman Commission Meeting, 6:30-8:00 p. m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30 7:45 p. m. (Nickelodeon will play)

Editorials and Features

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1942

Remember?

Monday is December 7. That means that to every American Monday is the first anniversary of the beginning of one of the most tragic years in all our history. It means that Monday will mark one year of war with all its accompaniment of horror, bloodshed and disrupted lives.

At the same time Monday should mark the first anniversary of the reunion of the American people. It should mark the rededication of the nation to a common goal. It furnishes an appropriate setting for taking stock of our accomplishments as a college after a year of war.

We at Normal cannot be very proud of our accomplishments. It is true that the college has revised and revitalized courses and curricula to meet war needs. The campus has been organized for civilian defense. Many other things have been done by the college officials to make this institution a unit for victory.

These things, though, have not been done by the students. Local coeds are averaging less than an hour per month in the Red Cross Surgical Dressing project. War bond and stamp sales from the college proper have been practically nil. The men students neglected the intramural sports program and the physical education classes until it has become necessary to make participation in these things compulsory. Only here and there has there been a glimmer of energy. Only occasionally have we shown that we even know that there is a war going on.

Monday is December 7. Monday is a good time for us to begin to think seriously about contributing to a victory which will be as much ours as anyone else's.

Service Men's Addresses

Fill out this blank and turn it in to The Current Sauce or the Y.W.C.A. Copies of The Current Sauce will be sent to service men who are graduates of Normal and the Y.W.C.A. is planning a special war map showing the location of graduates of the college who are now in the service.

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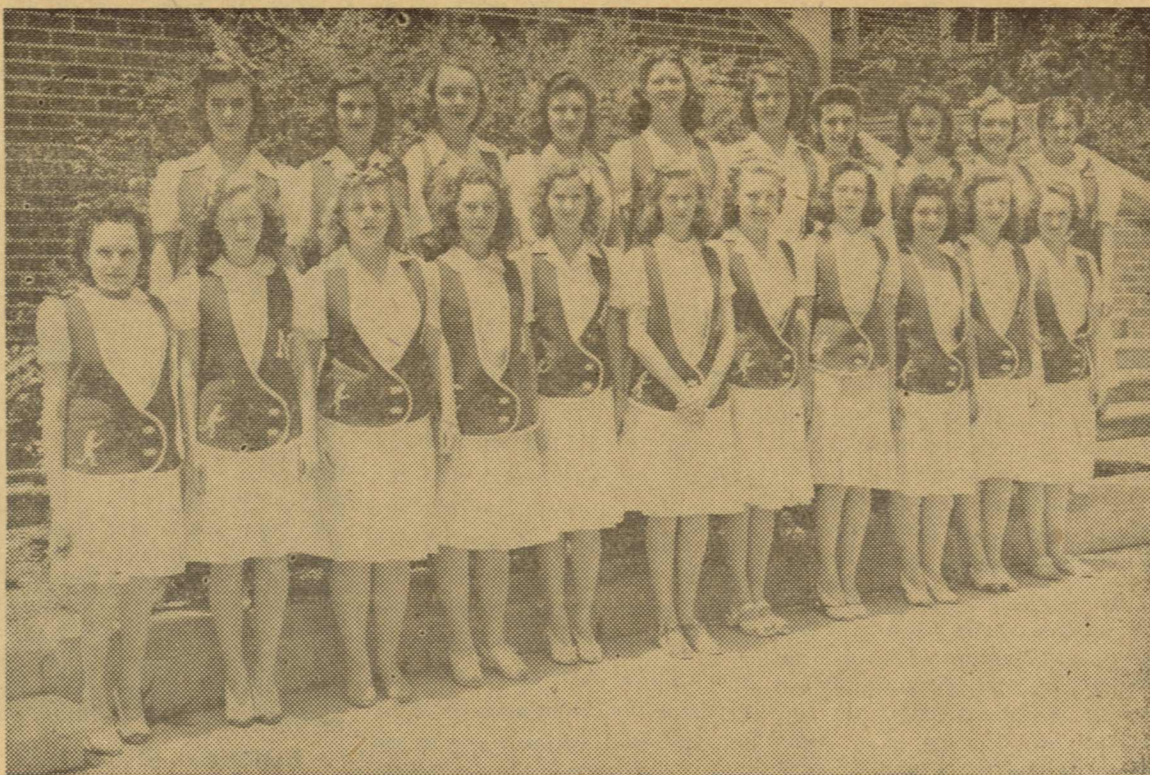
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Sponsoring "Deep Purple" ...



... for the third consecutive year are the members of the Purple Jacket Club shown above. The variety show is scheduled for Fine Arts auditorium, Tuesday night, December 8.

Society

(Ed. Note: "Society" has a new toastmistress this week and, we hope, for weeks to come since Betty Bell dropped the reins of the wagon of corn which she has driven for so long. Edith Weber, who picked up considerable journalistic fame at Northeast Junior College, has stepped nimbly into the driver's seat and this is her maiden voyage. And so, we feel prone to comment, journalistically speaking, "The Queen is dead, God save the Queen.")

By EDITH WEBER

Society has, within the last week, packed up its bags, gone home for a holiday, done up Thanksgiving in a nice style, and returned to resume its dissertation on cold turkey.

Hail the Gob

Since comments were last made in this column, Mr. Towns has found his place in the sunlight, with unrivaled attention, at a banquet given in his honor Tuesday night of last week. Students and faculty attending that gala function convinced that honored personage that he has been appreciated—that he was a nice fellow to know—will again be a nice fellow to know when this business is over. Oh, incidentally, he's a sailor now (sigh!).

Military Wish Bones

And speaking of service men ... you wouldn't by any chance have been on the campus last week when a couple of hundred soldiers from one of our neighboring brother institutions of specialized training invaded our own domain (again) and pulled turkey wishbones under the corner of our own dining tables, would you? (Or didn't you see the uniforms?)

Fortunately for all concerned, various (and I mean several) coeds were here to share turkey and military a la mode with the holiday that was again!! observed according to Lincoln ...

Swingin' Sophs

Saturday night the spotlight will be surrendered to the sophomores who will brush up (or should they need to) on the insect interpretation of the light fantastic ... Wise guys ... they know that all work and no play makes Jack ... and we agree ... the more you study, the more you forget; the more you forget, the less you know; so why study? ...

WASHINGTON—(ACP)—Right now the lid is down tight on information concerning the army's plan for sending drafted 'teen age men back to college. Officials and educators here say it soon will be spelled out in detail.

However, it is a virtual certainty that all 18 and 19 years olds who are drafted—whether or not they're college men—will be eligible to take tests to determine whether they shall be assigned to colleges and universities for technical and scientific training.

They probably will be selected on the basis of education, as well as for "qualities of leadership, military ability and aptitude for more education."

It is unlikely the 'teen age plan will resemble the current "contract" arrangement both the army and navy already have with some colleges. Under the contract plan, men already in the services are assigned to colleges for short periods of training, usually three months.

It appears that 'teen age men will get longer periods of training of a highly specialized and intensive character.

The back-to-college plan, or whatever it may be called, is likely to hit small arts colleges hard. The army and navy will probably take over the physical facilities of many of them to train men in technical subjects. The art of war leaves little room for other arts.

There is a manpower problem in Germany with tragic overtones.

the less you study, the less you forget; the less you forget, the more you know; so why ...

Middle-Aislers

Nor did the Davis-Kimbrell combination find too many shadows in the wings (eagle or otherwise) as they middle-aisled to classic strains (and for once Leonard wasn't playing, nor was Evelyn acting!). There's just something about something old ... something new ... borrowed ... blue ... satin ... old lace ... (and arsenic).

But you'll agree that if they had waited longer for a honeymoon, Leonard would have had to get a furlough ... and learned to say, "Giddap!"

Capital to Campus

Jay Richter Reports from Washington
(A. C. P.)

Preparations are reported under way for professional military training of boys 14 and 15 years old.

Jobs

The U. S. Office of Education is represented on a government committee studying job possibilities for the physical handicapped.

A recent survey showed that thousands of jobs in arsenals, navy yards and other government industrial plants could be filled by the handicapped. Altogether, the survey revealed 1,300 different kinds of work that might be done by such persons.

Objectives of the continuing study are two-fold: to help solve our war manpower problem, and to gain experience for use in placement of disabled veterans and industrial workers after the war.

Hard of hearing and deaf persons make up the major pool of handicapped manpower.

Many persons with defective vision also could do effective work in important jobs. In one large plant, approximately 90 per cent of the positions might be filled by persons who are blind in one eye but have good vision in the other.

The survey of handicapped persons also included provision for study of the use of women in industry. It was found that—with proper training—they could perform the duties of a majority of industrial jobs.

One ordnance plant already has hired women for 50 per cent of its jobs. Their work is high grade and sometimes superior to that of men.

Speaking of women, the Civil Service Commission is seeking Junior Chemists and is particularly interested in co-eds who have had four years of college, with 30 semester hours chemistry. Pay, \$2000 annually; no written test.

Also sought are Chemical Aids who need only three years of college, with 24 semester hours of chemistry. Pay, \$1800; no test.

Expanded research in synthetic rubber may double the demand for chemists during coming months.

State Normal Alumni Hold Annual Luncheon at L. T. A. in Shreveport

Two teachers in the public school system of the state representing the span of a half-century occupied seats of honor at the annual State Normal College alumni luncheon held in the Skyline room of the Washington-Youree hotel on Tuesday, Nov. 24, during the annual convention of the Louisiana Teachers Association.

Miss Mary Dingle, principal of Alexander school, Shreveport, a graduate of the class of 1892 at the State Normal and who has taught 50 years in the Caddo parish school system, was the oldest teacher in years of service at the luncheon, with Miss Lois Milwee of Vinton, 21, who completed her work at the state college in May, youngest teacher present.

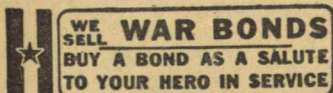
In his address at the luncheon, Dr. Joe Farrar, president of the college, outlined the progress of the institution during the last year. President Farrar pointed out that the State Normal now has good standing in the Southern Association of colleges and secondary schools and the American association of teachers colleges and that the courses at the institution have been streamlined to fit into the war effort.

A special feature of the annual luncheon was the recognition of members of classes and literary societies at the college since 1892 by Spencer Phillips, class of 1912, superintendent of the schools for the blind and deaf at Baton Rouge, who served as toastmaster at the annual meeting. Only two classes, those of 1893 and 1896, were not represented at the college luncheon last week.

G. S. Manning, principal of Calhoun high school, was unanimously re-elected president of the alumni association for the 1942-43 session. Mrs. Sue Keelan of Zwolle was elected vice-president of the club for the new session to succeed W. J. Dodd of Oakdale, who is now serving in the armed forces of the nation; and Leroy S. Miller, member of the faculty at the State Normal College, was unanimously re-elected secretary of the organization for next year.

R. I. Davis of DeRidder was named a new member of the executive council of the association to succeed K. R. Hanchey of DeRidder. Other members of the council include Miss Elizabeth Taylor of Shreveport, E. S. Aiken of Alexandria and W. L. Colvin of Jeanerette.

Mrs. Lilian Gerow McCook, member of the music faculty at the State Normal College, sang the state song, "Louisiana" at the luncheon, with Miss Ruby Gray Hughes at the piano. More than 175 graduates of the college attended the luncheon, which was a highlight of the teachers convention in Shreveport.



18 Year Olds Will Register December 11-17

The sixth selective service registration in Louisiana for 18-year-olds will start before the local draft boards Dec. 11-17 inclusive, Brig. Gen. Raymond H. Fleming, state director of selective service, announced Wednesday.

However most of the 'teen-agers will be allowed to spend Christmas and New Year's at home, it was indicated, since Col. Harmon P. Agnew, chief of the manpower division, said Wednesday the December call would be filled almost entirely by married men without children.

"Men 18 and 19 years of age will go first only if they are already processed by the selective system," Colonel Agnew said. "During January, February and March enough 'teen-age men may be made available so that married men without children may not be called during these months." The processing requires about six weeks.

General Fleming outlined in detail the dates for registration as follows:

"(A) Between Dec. 11, 1942, and Dec. 17, 1942, both dates inclusive, those who have attained the 18th anniversary of the day of their birth between July 1, 1942, and Aug. 31, 1942, both dates inclusive.

"(B) Between Dec. 18 and Dec. 24, both dates inclusive, 18th anniversary of the day of their birth between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, both dates inclusive.

"(C) Between Dec. 26 and Dec. 31, both dates inclusive, those who have attained or will attain the 18th anniversary of the day of their birth between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31.

"(D) During the continuance of the present war, those who attain the 18th anniversary of the day of their birth on and after Jan. 1, 1943, shall register on the day they attain the 18th anniversary of the day of their birth; provided, that if such anniversary falls on a Sunday or a legal holiday, their registration shall take place on the day following that is not a Sunday or a legal holiday. Registrations shall be made between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.

"All persons subject to registration may be registered after the time or day fixed for his

Local USO Committee Makes Dinner Arrangements and Gives Dance For 250 Soldiers on Thanksgiving Day

150 Girls Turn Out To Dance With Soldiers

About 250 soldiers, members of the 253rd Signal Construction Company ate Thanksgiving dinner in the college dining hall here last week. Later nearly 150 local girls, including a few college students, reported to the college for a tea dance in honor of the visitors.

Living under field conditions in tents through which the cold late November winds whistle, the company did not have the proper equipment to cook the turkeys promised by the officials at Camp Claiborne for the Thanksgiving menu. It looked like a dreary prospect for Turkey Day.

Fortunately, however, the Natchitoches U.S.O. Committee inquired of Captain Kimes, on Monday before Thanksgiving, what could be done for the boys while they were camped here. "If you want to do something we will really appreciate, get us a warm hall where we can eat our Thanksgiving dinner, and get us a place to cook our turkey which will be furnished by the quartermaster."

Within two hours the U. S. O. had received permission from Dr. Joe Farrar of Louisiana Normal College for the soldier outfit to have the use of the Normal kitchen and main dining hall. Miss Fern M. Geyer, who is in charge of the dining hall, promised her utmost cooperation. With practically all the Normal students gone home for the holidays, the soldiers under First Lieutenant Marcus, Supply Officer, had plenty of help in preparing their meal.

'Mural Program Pace Increases

HORSESHOE STILL STALLED

The Ping Pong singles tournament made rapid advancement, while the horseshoe singles and doubles tournaments were at a standstill here on the campus last week.

Hussey beat Vige, Johnson triumphed over Garner and Sudbury won over Bains to gain places in the quarterfinal round of the Ping Pong singles tourney. Fay Perkins, last year's third place winner, awaits the outcome of the first round Dobson-Hudson game which will give him a second round opponent and a chance to move up to a quarterfinal berth.

Philip Orr, Leonard Megason, Alden Vige, Henry Garner and Wallace Prather have entered the consolation contest in the Ping Pong tourney by virtue of being defeated in either their first or second round matches.

Contestants in the horseshoe singles and doubles tournaments are urged to play their games as soon as possible so that volley ball and other tournaments may get under way.

registration in case he is prevented from registering during that time or on that day by circumstances beyond his control. If he is unable to present himself for and submit to registration during the time or on the day fixed for his registration, he shall do so as soon as possible after cause for such inability ceases to exist."

PHI MU ALPHA PLEDGES TO STAGE PROGRAM SATURDAY

The pledges of the local chapter of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia will present a victory program in the Student Center Saturday afternoon at one o'clock. The public program is an annual affair and is to feature a "victory" theme this year. The pledges will stage a comic parade through the streets of the city immediately after the program in the Student Center.

FOUR STUDENTS PASS FIVE MILE MARK IN AQUATIC DISTANCE CLUBS

One local student has qualified for membership in the Aquatic Ten-Mile Club and three others, including one girl, have qualified for the Five-Mile Club at the college natatorium.

Bobby Doell, freshman from New Orleans, has over 530 laps to his credit giving him membership in the Ten-Mile organization. Doell appeared at the college this summer as a member of the Audobon swimming team that won the 400-yard relay in the S.A.A.U. meet held here last July. He also placed third in each of three individual events.

William Welch and Fay Perkins of Natchitoches and Jaunita Bass of Alexandria, only girl member of either of the distance clubs, have all exceeded the 265 lap minimum required for membership in the Five-Mile Club. Bass has almost achieved membership in the Ten-Mile Club.

Membership in the clubs is open to all local students. To become eligible for the Five-Mile Club a student must swim 265 laps in the college natatorium while 530 laps qualifies one for the Ten-Mile Club. All interested students are advised to contact Marion Chapman or Bobby Doell. The natatorium schedule is as follows:

Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 4:00-5:30 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday: 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday 3:00-5:00 p.m.

We Suggest . . .

By The Y.M.C.A.

"Until the war is ended, the country has a right to expect that colleges will continue training primarily for war—that precludes the possibility of three-month vacations and a normal schedule of work well relieved by vacations and recesses. For those colleges which are prepared to proceed with education along these lines, and for those young men who are prepared to enter or remain in college with these purposes and who have the qualities of mind and character to carry them out, the Army and Navy urge the continuance of college education.

Representatives of the armed forces indict colleges for country-club activities which in general detract from the quality and amount of work which any institution can produce; yet they must turn to the colleges for a steady supply of manpower trained to accept responsibility and to adapt itself to new situations—in other words, that vague generalization, "officer-like qualities." For this training, they expect the University to train all their men not in specific facts, but in techniques

Obstacle Course To Be Ready for Use Next Week

A campus obstacle course, designed for conditioning local students about to enter the military service, will be ready for use next week, Paul Marx, acting head of the Department of Physical Education announced here Thursday.

The course is modeled after the military tracks used by Naval Pre-flight and Army Air Corps trainees. About 12 obstacles are being set up on the 210-yard course. All men students will be required to run the course as a part of their physical education in the spring semester. All students are advised to make use of the new facilities before the required work begins in the spring although men are warned not to attempt trials for speed until they have become conditioned and accustomed to the course and preferably after receiving instruction.

Enrollees in the various reserve corps are especially urged to begin immediately to condition themselves on the course, Marx stated.

Included in the course are: water jump, balance run, fence vault, under-over-under obstacle, hand-over-hand walk, hurdles, tunnel crawl, sand run, spraddle run, dodge run and a 7-foot wall.

Other obstacles will be added later.

All interested students are advised to contact Mr. Marx as soon as possible.

Spanish Club to Present One-Act Play Thursday

The Spanish 202 Class of the Normal College will present a one-act drama, "La Cueva Salamanca" on Thursday evening, December 10, at 7:00 o'clock in the Little Theatre, under the auspices of the Spanish Club.

The public is cordially invited to attend. No admission will be charged.

ATTENTION!

Attention is called to the recreational facilities open to faculty and students in the stock room of the men's gymnasium. Complete equipment for a wide variety of games is available. The stock room is open as follows:

Monday-Friday: 3:00-5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 2:00-5:30 p.m.

of acquiring knowledge and in self-discipline which leads to ordered thought and responsible action. The armed forces have made their position clear; if a man enlisted in the reserve cannot hold himself up to the standards set by the university, he is called to active duty.

The colleges are allowed to continue because they render a distinct service to the country—the quality of that service must be kept high for colleges to expect the continuance of that right. That high quality of training precludes deceleration on the basis of the security of a promised commission; it precludes spineless tutoring which maintains the thin veneer of knowledge by ignoring the fundamentals of educational training.

The continuation of the present governmental policy will be largely decided on the basis of its performance this year.

—The Daily Princetonian

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Kieran Demands "Glacier Speed" For Joe's Auto

(Ed. Note: This article is a contribution to the conservation of auto mileage by the "Information Please" program expert. It was written exclusively for the collegiate press.)

By JOHN KIERAN

If the class will come to order, the old Professor will explain the virtues of the 35-mile-an-hour limit for the speed of autos for the duration, with special reference to its application in collegiate circles. Having seen many of the rattletaps operated by undergraduate chauffeurs, this past master mechanic is of the opinion that it is unsafe to operate most of them at even normal glacier speed (1 mile per

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week, Leap Year excepted) under normal atmospheric pressure and local traffic conditions. At anything above 15 m.p.h. they were dangerous to the life and limb of innocent bystanders or other occupants of the streets. They have a tendency to come apart at the seams with celerity and shed parts in all directions.

Automotive experts have charts and figures to prove that autos are operated most economically at a speed under 35 m.p.h. and it is to be hoped that undergraduates (even those on probation) realize that we are—or should be—alive to the necessity of sticking relentlessly to a war-time economy. It should cause the ordinary undergraduate to throw out his chest when he realizes that he really has a chance to be sensible and helpful by staying inside the legal limit when he goes tottling forth in his gasoline chariot. He saves gas. He saves rubber. He saves wear and tear on the nerves of older citizens and members of the faculty, though maybe it was a mistake to bring that up. This ancient alumnus of the campus horse-and-buggy era always thought that undergraduates of later days whizzing along in cars at 50 or 60 m.p.h. were usually heading for trouble, anyway. Some of those rides came to no good end. Maybe a fellow hurt only himself in those days. Now he hurts everybody—and no fooling!—by speeding. Stay under 35 miles per hour. That's the limit—the decent and patriotic limit.

Brittain—

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physical education; Ardis Cawthorn, seventh grade supervisor; William C. Culp, social studies; Z. T. Gallion, supervisor of mathematics in the high school; Gaennie Hyams, supervisor of physical education in the high school; Miss Clara Ingram, supervisor of commerce in the high school; R. G. Markham, supervisor of science in the high school; Miss Eve Mouton, assistant professor of French; Walter P. Ledet, member of the physical education staff; Miss Helen Buck, dietician in the student center cafe; Miss Marzelle Fisher, secretary in the department of music; and A. E. Brown, electrician.

Revolution—

(Continued from Page 1)

Kellum managed to evade capture until he appeared in the co-op dining room at 7:20. There he was approached by a riot squad of sophomores and when he dove through the back door of the building he landed across Bill Eason's ample shoulders.

The case of dog Arie was a difficult proposition, though. Rising early, he spent most of the morning in calling the irate sophs from various points on the campus. When last heard from he was located in the dairy. No rest for the weary though 'cause the vigilantes were on hand when he finally dragged himself into Caspari Wednesday night.

And those, my friends, are the highlights of The Day of the Revolution, 1942.



The Phi Mu Alpha's have long been notorious on this campus for having their frat pins come home to roost shortly after they are farmed out to some frill. "Hoiman de Woim" Saizan is maintaining the traditions of the brotherhood for he recently donated his bit of brass and glass to Mary Sue Collins who shortly thereafter saw fit to send the woim a squoiming off in search of another sweetie.

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For four years we have waited for Daniel Cupid to find time to turn his attention to Elliot "Ghoul" Ginsberg. At last the moment has come. Ginsey went home for Thanksgiving and came back badly smitten with affection for Gladys Johnson, little (and brother we do mean little) sister of former student Liston Johnson. The fact that the lass is a bit on the youngish side doesn't affect the ghoul at all. He comments that she still gives him the creeps.

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If you see a well-filled barrel dashing madly for a first period class some of these mornings, don't be alarmed. It will just be Dennon Holmes whose wardrobe shrunk to almost nothing as the result of a hitch-hiking expedition home for the holidays. Dennon was able to snag a ride on a big truck and en route his suit case was lost off the back. Discovering the loss, Holmes returned to find the lone survivors of the catastrophe—two socks, and of two very different colors.

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Also on the lonesomish side is Tommy Thompson since Margaret French is out of school.

On the other hand there is Toxie Bourn who may not be so lonesome since Emmy Lou Hughes has returned.

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There are those who are wondering who will get Ray Clawson's new gold football when they are delivered. At present Beth Funderburk is in possession of the old one but Louise "Baby Dumplings" Pinckley has been making a strong bid for high honors with Ray

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The "keep fit" exhortations of college officials last week have been taken seriously by at least one local male student. Waddy Thomley (previously known as the Black Lake Lochinvar) now sneaks out at ten o'clock every night to run his laps around the high school athletic field, sans trousers.

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Ginsberg isn't the only bachelor of long standing who has been smitten betwixt the eyes of late. That bit of information came this week from near and dear sources who affirm that Harlod "Tip" Tinsley is scratching his burr head frantically in an effort to dream up some way of attracting the attention and devotion of the aforementioned Louise Pinckley

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The next thing we know the Marines will be landing in taxi-cabs. Either that or they're going to have to change the ways of one recruit, G. F. Thomas, Jr. Wednesday night found Sonny playing the martyr as he stepped out on his first gas-rationing date afoot! Moreover, 'twas El Toro's second date without benefit of automobile since he first began to note that the weaker sex has uses other than serving as targets for spitballs. Bravely he and Mary Jean Swift began their jaunt to town and we thought that a new record was being set. Then, about 10:45, we saw a taxi cruise up to Thomas Towers in East Natchitoches and deposit the leatherneck-to-be at his doorstep, too completely exhausted to manage the hike home.

STUDENTS LEAVING SCHOOL

are reminded that no 1943 Potpourri will be ordered for them unless they have paid the second semester's Potpourri fee of \$2.00 BEFORE leaving.

Each student should arrange for a friend to get and mail his Potpourri when the annual is issued.

Potpourri Staff
Fine Arts Building,

BOOKS AN' STUFF

A Few Books Found on the New Book Shelf in the Library

B. A. Shields. Air Pilot Training. (Theory of flight, aircraft engines, meteorology, air navigation.)

Dorothy Nye. Lady Be Fit. (Exercises for energy, efficiency, and lasting health.)

Days of Decision. (War-time editorials from the New York Times.)

Marion Lansing. Liberators and Heroes of South America. (Fifteen biographies.)

W. O. Stevens. The Correct Thing. (A bit of "Emily Post for the men.")

I. E. Schatzman. The Country School. (Rural education throughout the World.)

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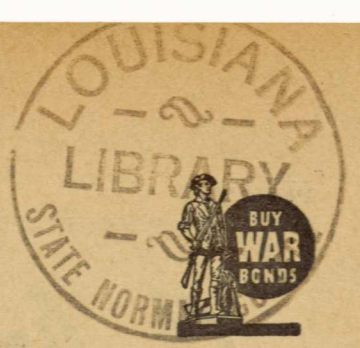
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Journalism Class To Publish Next Week's Current Sauce

Albert Saucier was elected editor of The Current Sauce and Kemp "Blimp" Tucker was named Associate-Editor by the members of Prof. R. L. Ropp's journalism class who are to publish the paper next week. Because of the fact that the Christmas holidays begin here Friday, the issue is scheduled to appear Thursday, December 17.

John "Bully" Howell was assigned the Business Managership and Julianne David was made Society Editor in the class election held Monday.

The six other members of the class will compose the reportorial staff of the paper next week. They are:

Curtis Guillet, Mrs. Geraldine Brice, Barbara Gillis, Ralph Hudson, Ruth Morphis and Marguerite Squyres.

Saucier was not available for an interview as he failed to attend the class at which the election was held but Howell stated late Monday afternoon that local merchants had best gird themselves for battle. He is confident of a successful campaign in selling advertisement for the journalism issue.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday, Dec. 11-Friday, Dec. 18

Friday, December 11

Pi Kappa Sigma House: Pledge Party, 8:00-10:00 p. m.

Mr. Morrison's Home: Pi Omega Pi Party, 8:00-10:30 p. m.

Saturday, December 12

Hotel: Delta Kappa Gamma Banquet

Old Social: BSU Christmas Party, 7:30-10:30 p. m.

Student Center: Formal Dance, 8:30-11:45 p. m. (Dance Band will play)

Monday, December 14

Wesley Foundation Cabinet Meeting, 6:45-7:45 p. m.

Y House: A. A. U. W. Meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Auditorium: Rehearsal of Christmas Pageant

Tuesday, December 15

Little Theater: Christmas Pageant Recital, 3:00 p. m.

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Religious Center: B.S.U. Council Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Auditorium: Music Fraternity Recital, 8:00 p. m.

Wednesday, December 16

Auditorium: Rehearsal of Christmas Pageant (All day)

S300: Euthenics Club Meeting, 6:30 p. m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p. m. (Nickelodeon will play)

Thursday, December 17

Old Social: Pi Delta Epsilon Meeting, 6:00-7:00 p. m.

Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Cane River Lake: Christmas Pageant, 7:00 p. m.

Friday, December 18

Christmas Holidays begin at noon—end January 4, 1943, 8:00 a. m.

Sinfonia Program To Be Presented Tuesday Night

Gamma Rho chapter of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, national music fraternity, are to present their first annual recital in Fine Arts auditorium December 15, at 8:00 p. m. The music featured will be of a seasonal nature, with Christmas carols to be sung by the fraternity members. A brass quartet and a woodwind quintet will occupy a prominent spot on the evening's program, as will two vocal solos by Jack Thompson, freshman member of the fraternity.

Highlighted will be the performance of "Sonata for Violin and Piano", an original composition by Lorane Brittain, music department head and Phi Mu Alpha member. Gilbert Saetre, as the violin soloist, will be accompanied at the piano by Mr. Brittain.

Additional music, of a slightly different nature, will be supplied by the Swing Kings, campus dance band composed of Sinfonia members. There will be no admission charge, and all students and faculty members have been invited to attend the program.

Military Training To Be Instituted Here In January

Military training on a voluntary basis will be available to local men students of the college, Natchitoches high school and St. Mary's Academy at the beginning of the spring semester. The training will be sponsored by the Gordon Peters Post No. 10 of the American Legion.

The training will be offered in order that men students may gain some knowledge of military routine and drill before they enter the armed forces. A similar program was in effect here during World War I.

The resolution to sponsor military training at the three schools was presented before the Legionnaires at their regular meeting last week by Leroy S. Miller, past district commander of the American Legion and professor at the college. It was unanimously adopted by the local post.

The resolution is as follows: "Be it resolved by the members of Gordon Peters Post No. 10 of the American Legion that this post go on record as favoring the establishment of military training on a voluntary basis for the young men of Natchitoches high school, the Louisiana State Normal College, and St. Mary's Academy."

Administrative heads of all three schools have endorsed the plan.

LAMBDA ZETAS HAVE NEW ROOM

The Lambda Zeta fraternity has been assigned a new room, Room 37 in Fine Arts building, by college officials, it was announced this week. All future meetings are to be held there.

With His 30th ...



... Demon basketball team opening its first war-time season here tonight, Coach H. Lee Prather announced this week that no L.I.C. teams will be played by the Demon cagers this year.

Normal Faculty Opposes Cut In High School Training Time

Kappa Delta Pi Initiates Nine

December 2

Gamma Phi chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, national honor society in education, formally initiated nine new members on Wednesday, December 2. Bids were issued several weeks ago.

A formal business meeting was conducted preceding the pledging of the new members. The formal initiation ceremony followed an informal program based on a Christmas theme.

The new members are as follows:

Billie Elston, Joyce Baxley, Emma Lee Holt, Ester George, Thelma Presley, Virginia Rayner, Billie Sayes, Adalaide Smith and Janis Tooke.

Men Under 18 May Still Enlist In Navy

Voluntary Enlistments of Men 18 to 37 Stopped

Navy spokesmen in the Eighth Naval District Monday clarified the effect of the President's order, issued December 5, as it affects Navy recruiting. Voluntary enlistment by men between the ages of 18 and 37 (inclusive) has been stopped; except that those who had made bona fide applications for enlistment on or before December 5 will be accepted up to and including December 15, 1942.

Commander A. R. Mack, U.S.N. (Ret.) Navy Recruiting Inspector of the Southern Division, further stated that enlistments of men aged 17 and of men from 38 to 50 are still being accepted.

WAR BOND SALE GATHERS SPEED; COUNCIL SETS WEEKLY QUOTA

Hudson Buys First Bond

The sale of War Stamps and Bonds began to move on the campus this week as the Student Council inaugurated a campaign to push the sales for the rest of the school year. By late yesterday Council sales had reached a total of \$80.80.

Varga, Famous Artist, To Rank Annual Beauties

Varga, Esquire's famous creator of the Varga girl, has agreed to rank the beauties of the 1943 Potpourri, according to E. P. Dobson, Jr., editor of the annual.

Photographs of the beauties have not been received from the photographer, but they are expected soon and will be mailed to the artist upon receipt. Photographs of the class section have not yet been received either. When they arrive, students may order photographs from them.

At their regular meeting Monday night the members of the Council passed a resolution requesting every local student to purchase at least one 25c War Stamp each week.

The drive started Monday at noon after Dr. Joe Farrar called upon students and faculty to sacrifice for victory when he spoke at a specially called "Pearl Harbor Day" assembly Monday morning.

The first bond purchased by a local student was bought by Millard Hudson Monday night when C. M. McSwain and G. F. Thomas, Jr. were on hand to sell him a \$25 bond.

The drive is to continue throughout the year. Council members will be in the Student Center each Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon from 12:30 until 6:00 o'clock. Any student who wishes to purchase stamps at other times may secure them from Mrs. Marx in the Student Center cafeteria.

Local Thespians Plan New Show

Plans are now underway for the second major production of the year to be given by the Davis Players, campus dramatic group. The play is Kaufman and Hart's "Arsenic and Old Lace", which, starring Boris Karloff, enjoyed a successful run on the Broadway stage. With rehearsals beginning soon, under the direction of Thera Stovall, the performance is scheduled for sometime after the Christmas holidays.

Another Kaufmann and Hart production that was popular on the campus is "The Man Who Came to Dinner", given by the Davis Players last year.

Farrar Calls for Work, Sacrifice In Speech Here

"We are fighting, above all else, for survival", Dr. Joe Farrar told students and faculty members here Monday when he spoke at a special assembly in commemoration of the anniversary of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor last December.

Pointing to the nature of our enemies and the grave nature of the war, Dr. Farrar called upon students and faculty to rededicate themselves to the task of maintaining on the front a way of life worth fighting and dying for.

Dr. Farrar pointed out that both students and faculty have failed to sacrifice for victory and called upon them to do so. Emphasizing that the students have not maintained a pace equivalent to that of the local elementary school in war stamp purchases and that a mere handful of local women have participated in war work, the president demanded that students begin to work and sacrifice for victory.

Waves Need More Women

New Orleans, December 8.—Since the issuance of the executive order halting enlistments of men, more women than ever are needed for the WAVES, the Women's Reserve of the United States Naval Reserve.

Commander E. D. Wilbridge made an urgent appeal to women of this Naval District. "If you have been undecided about serving your country as a member of the WAVES," he said, "now is the time to reach your decision."

Editorials and Features

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Status of Reserves

Secretary of War Stimson, in explaining the present status of the Enlisted Reserve in the nation's colleges stated that the armed forces of the United States are already running short of manpower and new recruits must be called up.

Students who are members of the reserves will not be summoned at some indefinite time in the future—they will be called up at the end of the present college term as they reach the draft age of 20 years. Since the new draft age is 18 years, they may be called if they have reached that age.

The government expects to have all men who registered in the most recent draft call, those of 18 and 19 years of age, to be completely classified by January 1 and a good number of these called by that time.

In other words, local members of the Enlisted Reserve may expect to be called to active duty at the end of the present semester or at least by the end of the Spring semester.

The Critic Caws

By CHARLES ROBERTS

Once again the Purple Jackets organization has let the curtain down on a successful Deep Purple musical.

Mother Goose and her characters, particularly the "Old Woman in the Shoe", enhanced the Proscenium Arch with all the reality from which our first fictional faith was developed. With the help of entertainment which the show affords, the audience causally drifted back into childhood memories.

Congenial Emcee James Taylor, pinch-hitting on thirty seconds' notice—sans notes and purely impromptu, made each individual act slip from one to the other with all smoothness.

Professionalism ranked from one extreme to the other. The audience voted the laugh-provoking satire on rhumba as the climax of the evening, although it did not occupy that place on the previously arranged program. Had this number been placed nearer the end of the performance, ticket-buyers no doubt would have experienced a much

better after taste at curtain time. Marietta Hinton, Bully Howell and Roger Sherman gave an example of dancing which might be envied by many vaudeville teams. Originality in preparation and excellence in performance gave "The Lady in Red" a long, well-deserved applause. Action in the last minute of the dance—those well-placed kicks, I mean, were probably frowned upon by members of the censoring committee, if any such were present. But nevertheless the cast was earmarked "good theatre", by the audience as a whole—and that, after all, is the showman's aim.

Certainly talent which Mr. Walt Disney could profitably use was displayed by Lottie Tarver and Lloyd Kimbrell in their Donald-and-Daisy Duck interpretation.

As Daisey and the round-the-corner barber, Barbara Gillis and George Parks, plus Jimmy Diapola's tandem bike, made a real hit. Barbara emphasized the fact that her forte was in her voice, not her feet.

Jamming and jiving hit a new high with the Dipsy Doodle Jam-boree. Though the lines were not even and the circle resembled an egg, the "hip-bumping" cats

Happenings . . .

Sure, gas has been rationed even on the Normal campus, but neither production nor consumption has been curtailed in our current Sophomore class. . . . None of the sweetness was taken from their fun . . . none of the drug from their gaiety . . . none of the power from their enthusiasm as they congested campus traffic in their all-out attack on boredom last Saturday night. . . . Their dance was a definite success. . . .

I didn't see you, however, at the Junior Dramatics revue in comedy repertoire Wednesday of last week . . . but I heard you and sensed your amusement at woman's tardy realization that men are only home sapiens whose face value doesn't warrant a rationing. . . . Nor does it require a man to make us conscious of feminine complexity by raising an eyebrow at womanly scheming, by heaving a sympathetic sigh at the weakness of fanciful imagination, or by emoting over the excitement of an adaptable wardrobe arising out of "just anything."

Discrediting the philosophy of the proverbial farmer who said, "I don't want a book on better farming; I ain't farming as good as I can now," the Purple Jackets, in their production, "Deep Purple", directed our thoughts into a channel somewhere between the red of priorities and rationing and the blue of the stuff of which American youth is made, and gave us a smell of the recipe of contentment. With striking bedtime approach, they convinced us that college, complex as its reputation implies, is not a place on the educational map . . . but a definite state in the hearts of American youth, the strength of whose philosophy lies in the essence of simplicity. . . .

Society pauses to pay tribute to a too-erally fallen heroine . . . a still, white body that lay in state in the hallowed hall of the Fine Arts auditorium Monday morning and had wasted on her ears the taps calling back elusive moments that will never hear taps again. . . . A quietly sad and rebellious soul hovering protectively near remembered Pearl Harbor . . . Corregidor . . . Bataan . . . and the Johnny of Jimmy who will never "sleep in his own little room again" . . . but that dissolved soul hiding among the atoms and molecules has seen something holy about a boy in khaki besides the blood he is expected to spill . . . and is still determined that another Jimmy will take pleasant thoughts, if not bandages, into his last dream.

strictly got high.

Lack of preparation inexcusably reared its ugly head as curtain time drew nigh. Jack Thompson's selection, "Shortnin' Bread", now with an accompanist, now without, and now with one again indicated a slip-up somewhere. But when it began to roll, the audience clamoured for more.

"Deep Purple" presented positive proof that our campus is literally filled with talent. It's a shame to present it only once a year. Why can't such a persuasive force be used to sell war bonds and stamps—huh?

Fall Semester Grads Asked To Fill Out Placement Blanks

Leroy S. Miller, Director of the Placement Bureau, announced this week that all seniors who are graduating at the end of the present fall semester are requested to fill out placement blanks which may be obtained in his office in Science Hall.

Books and Stuff

Have you seen the new WAR MAP on the reserve desk in the library? It is a sort of heavy cardboard affair with pin-flags to indicate the positions of the various armies. (We hear that Rommel's pin has been moved so many times that it is worn to a nub!) The various flags make quite a colorful display; and the Stars and Stripes are to be found on many fronts. Each day typed slips placed in the appropriate spots indicate the events of the preceding day. We humbly suggest that you consult the map frequently in order to keep up with the war.

RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS COUNCIL MEETS

The Religious Organization held its second meeting of the year on Friday, December 4, in the "Y" house. The meeting was sponsored by the Y. W. C. A. Mr. D. T. Tarlton, president of the R. O. council, opened the meeting, and the entire assembly joined in singing "America".

After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, there was a discussion of means of raising money for the treasury. The amount of time that is given to the Red Cross work on the campus was discussed. Finding that this college ranks as one of the schools with the lowest number of hours, the following motion was made and carried: the faculty advisors and the student members of the R. O. council are to buy ten service pens, to be given to the first students completing sixty hours of Red Cross work.

The meeting was then turned over to Mary Ellen Caldwell, who in turn presented Miss Evelyn von Hermann, Y. W. C. A. representative from the Rocky Mountain region. Miss von Hermann made a short and interesting talk about the National Intercollegiate Christian Council, after which the meeting was adjourned.

Following the meeting, an informal discussion was held, centering around Miss von Hermann's address and refreshments were served. The Newman club is to have charge of the next R. O. council meeting.

Faculty Enjoys Christmas Party

The Student Center was the scene Wednesday evening of a gala Christmas party, with the college faculty acting as hosts as well as guests. Chairman Walter A. Mason, of the music department, presented an interesting and enjoyable program, with Paul Marx, physical education instructor, as master of ceremonies.

The college choir gave a short program of folk music in keeping with the season, after which the entire gathering joined in a "community sing" of popular Christmas carols. Dennon Holmes, as Santa Claus, presided over the large Christmas tree, and distributed gifts to the eager guests. To round out the evening, there were refreshments, followed by games and dancing.

Many requests for teachers are being received by the Placement Bureau each week and the office must have credentials on file. Positions are now open all over the state.

B. S. U. NEWS

The Y.W.A. met Monday night in the assembly room of the Religious Center. Tuesday night the B.S.U. council met in the B.S.U. room at 7:00 o'clock. Plans are being made for the council's picnic. Inclement weather prevented a picnic last Saturday, but it is to be given as soon as possible. All members are requested to watch for an announcement concerning this.

All students are invited to attend the prayer meeting from 12:30 until 12:50 p. m. in the assembly room of the Religious Center, every week from Monday through Saturday.

Y.W.C.A. NEWS

Miss Evelyn von Hermann, national Y. W. C. A. secretary, was the guest of the local Y.W.C.A., from Wednesday, December 2 until Saturday, December 5. She made some very worth-while suggestions in a series of talks to the Y.W.C.A. cabinet and members; the highlight of Miss von Hermann's visit was a speech given at the Religious Organizations' Council meeting on Friday night.

Freshman and Senior Cabinet members had individual conferences with Miss von Hermann on Friday, from which resulted many bright new plans for the coming year.

On Sunday afternoon Miss Mamie Chandler gave a very impressive talk to the Y. W. C. A., bringing out the thought that college students are a privileged class and that since every privilege has a responsibility which accompanies it, they should put their utmost into the responsibility of making a success of college work. In doing this students will have a great deal of effect upon the plans of a post-war world, Miss Chandler said.

The Y.W.C.A. is to sponsor a "caroling party" on Friday morning, December 18, at 5:30. Members of the party will meet at the "Y" house at that time. And for Sunday afternoon, December 13, there is scheduled the second in a series of musicals. This one is to be presented in the drawing room of Varnado Hall, from 4:00 until 5:30, and is to include many of the beautiful Christmas carols familiar to everyone. All residents of Natchitoches, service men, and students of the college are cordially invited to attend this program.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

It was a gay group that gathered in the upstairs of the Religious Center to bid good-bye to Leonard Kimbrell who has for a long time been a very popular member of Wesley Foundation and who is off to the army. We had music, witty remarks (inevitable when Leonard is around), and a wedding cake (Evelyn Davis, also one of our popular members, and Leonard had made the trip to the altar on the Monday before.)

And while we are on the subject of parties, we want to announce that there will be a get-together for Wesley Foundation on the Sunday before Normal closes for Christmas — on the thirteenth—in the upstairs of the Religious Center on the campus at 6:30 in the evening. Following the social part of the meeting there will be a worship program in which the college Choral Reading Group will take part. All Methodist young people are cordially invited.

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NATIONAL PRESIDENT HONOR GUEST AT SORORITY SUPPER

Mrs. C. P. Neidig of Cincinnati, Ohio, National President of Pi Kappa Sigma sorority, who spent several days in Natchitoches as the guest of the sorority while on an inspection tour, was the honor guest at an informal supper given at the Pi Kappa Sigma sorority house on Tuesday evening.

Delicious refreshments of chicken salad on lettuce, pin-wheel pimento cheese sandwiches, olives, pickles, crackers, hot tea and a dessert of cake, strawberries and ice cream was served. During the supper, guests were entertained by piano selections and songs. The refreshment table from which the supper was served in buffet style, featured a centerpiece of red Radiance roses flanked on either side by lighted candles.

Guests for the occasion included the honoree, Mrs. Neidig, Pi Kappa Sigma members living on the campus, and Miss Debbie Pinkston, sponsor, Mrs. J. W. McCook and Miss Mary Winters, patronesses, Mrs. J. W. Webb, Mrs. John Pollock, Mrs. Erbon Wise, and Miss Gretchen Ortmeier, alumni, and Misses Joyce Rivet and Elizabeth Bozeman, members living in Natchitoches.

NEWMAN CLUB TO STAGE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Newman Club will stage its annual Christmas party at the Newman House at 6:00 p. m. Sunday. All Catholic students are invited to attend.

The Newman Club met in regular session Sunday night at which time Father Aycock gave a short talk.

Community Chest Buys Christmas Seals

Eighty members of the Normal Community Chest will buy \$80 worth of Christmas seals from their fund, it was decided at a meeting of the group Monday. The money goes into the anti-tuberculosis fight.

Kyser Speaks To Phi Alpha Theta And Guests On Post-War Problems

Dr. John S. Kyser, head of the Department of Social Studies, was the speaker on Monday at the first of a series of lectures, discussions and book reviews being sponsored by Pi Chapter of Phi Alpha Theta.

Keynoting his address to Pearl Harbor Day, Dr. Kyser discussed the foreign and domestic problems which may be expected to confront the United States and her allies as a result of this war.

CHORAL READERS TO PERFORM SUNDAY

The campus choral reading organization, directed by Thera Stoval, is to present a Christmas program in the religious center Sunday, December 13, from 6:00 until 7:15 p. m. Sponsored by the Wesley Foundation, the program will include a group reading of "The Night Before Christmas", featuring Garlington Feazell as soloist. Naydyne Fargerson and Donald Smith will read a "Bible Story". Musical background for the readings will be supplied by Margaret Griffin, at the organ.

27 Lettermen on 1942 Grid Team Named Last Week

The college athletic council announced last week that 27 local football players have been named lettermen on the 1942 Demon grid machine. Nine seniors, seven juniors and 11 sophomores composed the list.

Five of the nine seniors lettered for the third consecutive year while four won their "N" for the first time. All 11 sophomores received their numerals on the 1941 freshman squad.

CANTERBURY CLUB

Rev. Robert Manning, head of the Episcopal student work on the campus, and Dr. Weller, new Episcopal minister at the local church, were the principal guests attending the regular meeting of the Canterbury Club here Monday. The meeting was conducted informally.

The Episcopal faculty members will meet in the near future to elect officers, it was announced this week. Gilbert T. Saetre will call the meeting.

The Canterbury Club meets regularly each Monday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock in the Episcopal student room in the religious center on the campus.

Cagers Open Slim Season Against Soldiers Tonight; L. I. C. Is Out

Reserves To Bear Brunt of Tonight's Battle

Coach H. Lee Prather's 30th Normal Demon basketball team will open its season tonight in the Men's Gym at 8:00 o'clock when it meets the 301st Ordnance team from Camp Beauregard. The Demon team is embarking upon one of the slimmest schedules in the history of the school, since war-time conditions have led to the canceling of practically all college competition.

Gridmen receiving their letters this year for the third time on the Demon team are: Theophile Scott, captain and back, Natchitoches; Edwin McDermott, alternate captain and end, Bossier City; Pat Nation, back, Minden; John Meagher, end, Shreveport; and Toxy Bourn, back, Haynesville.

The four seniors receiving their letters for the first time this season are: Albert Gerson, end, Monroe; John Nicosia, center, Smithfield, Pa.; Tom Paul Southland, guard, Bossier City; and Arnold Kilpatrick, end, Eros.

Juniors awarded the "N" for the second time include Alden Vige, back, Opelousas; Tommy Bambrick, back, Houston, Texas; J. C. Carlin, back, Sulphur; Henry Bollier, center, Cotton Valley; Carlton Johnson, back, Cotton Valley; and Morris Carbo, back, Moreauville. Willie Lutgring, end, Abbeville, was the only junior letterman to receive his award for the first season.

Sophomores awarded letters this year are: Harold Tinsley, guard, Haynesville; Ivan Woodward, tackle, Baton Rouge; Ernest Davis, guard, Shreveport; H. B. Burley, guard, Haynesville; Bill Eason, tackle, Monroe; Herley Tripp, tackle, Springhill; Carl Benton, back, Mobile, Ala.; John D. Thompson, guard, DeRidder; Herman Randall, back, Ville Platte; Lary Townsend, end, Coushatta; and Ralph McFarland, tackle, Alexandria.

The Normal Demons won the Louisiana Intercollegiate conference crown this year by sweeping aside the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs of Ruston, the Southwestern Louisiana Institute Bulldogs of Lafayette, and the Southeastern Louisiana College Lions of Hammond and also have an undefeated and untied record in the S. I. A. A. loop.

In addition to downing their L. I. C. rivals the Demons defeated the East Texas Teachers of Commerce, Texas, the Sam Houston Bearcats of Huntsville, Texas, and the Camp Beauregard eleven of Alexandria. The two games dropped out of their eight-game schedule this year were to the Louisiana State university Tigers and the Ouachita College Lions of Arkadelphia, Ark.

Few Demon regulars are expected to see service tonight. Coach Prather announced late yesterday that the soldier five will face the Normal reserves and that his first teams probably will not get into the battle.

Word from the Beauregard camp is, however, that the soldiers will send a smooth-working quintet against the collegians tonight. Local fans recall that the downstate camp has turned out good teams of sharp-shooting hoopsters in past years.

The Normal five will not face any Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference teams this year, Prather said Thursday, although two or three college teams may be played. There is some hope that a home-and-home series with Loyola will be played and a game or a series of games with Ouachita College is barely possible.

Any other cage competition for local teams will be with service teams from neighboring camps and these games are uncertain in view of difficulties of transportation.

Men's Gym Has New Game

"Dart Bowl", a new game which has been introduced recently on the campus, is fast becoming popular among the students, it was announced this week by physical education officials.

The apparatus for the sport has been set in the men's gym on South campus and is open to all students and faculty members. The game is similar to regular bowling, with the exception that the alley is shorter than the regular bowling space and darts are used instead of the ebonite balls. The method of throwing the darts not only associates "Dart Bowl" with actual bowling, but affords greater exercise and accuracy than can be gained by the overhand method of throwing darts.

"Dart Bowl" scoring is chalked up by the same methods as used in regular bowling, with certain numbers on the various pins, designating the points earned. Competent instructors will be at the gym to teach the game during the time the stock-room is open. The play-room schedule is as follows: 3:00-5:30 on week-days; 2:00-5:30 on Saturdays.

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Money, Jewels, Umbrella Among Articles In Dr. Hunt's Office

The Student Welfare office, located in Caldwell Hall, now has three pocketbooks, a string of pearls, and an umbrella which have been lost on the campus. These articles will be returned to the owners when they are called for and properly identified.

Students finding articles of value on the campus may turn them in to the Student Welfare office and the owners may call for them there.

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Euthenics Club To Stage Annual Christmas Party Here Next Wednesday

The Euthenics club will have its annual Christmas party here Wednesday. In previous years the custom has been to bring toys which were in turn donated to the city community tree, but this year since there will be no community tree, the members are purchasing and dressing dolls to be given to deserving children in the Training school. This party is one of the highlights of the year's program and will be presided over by the club president, Sadie Grezaffi.

"Sugar" Fletcher To Teach At Minden High School

Beatrice "Sugar" Fletcher, senior in Physical Education, left the campus last week to accept a position as physical education instructor at the Minden high school.

'BAMA WIGHT IN NAVY RESERVE

Ernest "Bama" Wright, 1941 football captain, who is in the Naval Reserve, expects to be called to active duty shortly. He is employed at present at the local airport.

Bathless Groggins says—



Yep! I'm back at work agin. I figger on buyin' lots of War Bonds to help our boys. Don't forget—we're all supposed to be signed up for 10% by New Year's!



This may be an obituary—we don't know. The journalism class will try its hand at this column, along with the rest of the rag, next week and it may well be that we'll be seeking the rearmost rank of the rearmost company in some far-off army post after those rank amateurs get through with your present correspondent. Oh well, one last fling!

No sooner does dark beauty Etoile Mobley return from an extended Thanksgiving visit in Florida with near-fiance Charles Richey, than she begins devoting date nights to dashing Dwight Davis, baton-waving prof. We still maintain that these Phi Mu Alpha guys are Lotharios from 'way back. Oh well, so long as it's all in the fraternity.

As though gas rationing isn't causing worries enough, those dare-devil speedsters, Dynamite Dunn and Co., in their snazzy 1924 model "T", met with additional hard luck Wednesday afternoon when the old hack failed to round a campus curve, and landed on its side. No injuries sustained, unless you want to consider pride.

One time Normal student Red Whitener, now in service to Uncle Sam, availed himself of a night off this week to send a telegram, "with love", to Beth Funderburk, pride of the football team.

And Elizabeth Wardlow's heart missed the down-beat when ardent suitor Sollie Mayer popped up unexpectedly, having taken time off from army air corps duties.

Cotton Meagher is a hard fellow to figure out. Early this year he dropped head over heels into the lap of "Steamboat" Thetis Treadwell while Fern Bremmer left the tie that had once half-way bound her to Cotton, in favor of almost-as-cotton Paul Anderson. Then the Bremmer-Anderson deal got lost in the shuffle. The other night we fancied that we were seeing the ruins of a beautiful romance in the earliest stages of rebirth when our eyes fell upon Cotton wooing—and brother we're being literal—Fern. Maybe Thetis heard about the incident and had the nerve to resent it. Anyhow she turned up early this week with a beautiful black eye which was dealt her by none other than The Gipper himself.

Looking positively yummy in a Naval uniform, Ensign Ross Golsen popped back onto the campus for a brief visit Tuesday—not too brief to include a date with Geraldine Manning, however.

We were boarding a homeward-bound bus from Shreveport Wednesday night when the driver called out "Natchitoches" as one of the destinations for which he was leaving. Two extremely cute cuties standing near the door began to argue with one another as to whether or not they should stop off in Natchitoches for the night or not. Eventually they decided not to and here's the argument that turned them against the place: Quoth Cutie I to Cutie II, "What'll we do when we get there." Replied Cutie II, "Well you know Pat Nation don't you." Cutie I: "Yeah, I'd forgotten, let's go on through."

Willard (Stag at Eve) Hollinshead has the glooms, and no wonder. Just when he's all beautifully involved in a nigh onto serious affair with petite Virginia Martin, he learns that Jessie Dean, his Shreveport one-and-only (when he can convince her), plans to matriculate here come next semester. Woe is Willard!

Clyde (Lonesome Polecat) Andrews must have been pretty downhearted about his recent failure to rate a date with local coeds. He seems to have a solution to the problem though. We saw him Sunday night at the Brick Shack, muffled in the folds of a county-fairish looking Indian blanket, trying to sneak into his car and off on a date with a local high school girl. And the boy-girl ratio gets worse (or better) every day, too.

And just as groundwork for possible future revelations we needlessly call your attention to the extremely steady steadying of Noella Lyons and Gary "Duck" Fournet."

War histeria has hit the campus at last, what with local coeds swooning over men in uniform.

To Whom It May Concern

Let it be known that I, Ernest S. Wright, am in the U. S. Naval Reserve and until the 8th district commandant at New Orleans calls me, I feel free to walk the streets without being called a "D.D." (draft dodger).

This war would be over a "hellava" lot quicked if citizens would tend to their own business, and allow the Army and Navy departments to do the same.

(Paid Adv.)

(Signed) Ernest S. Wright

Notice to All Men Who Are to Register in the 18 Year Old Group

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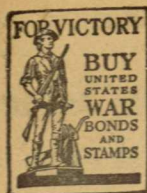
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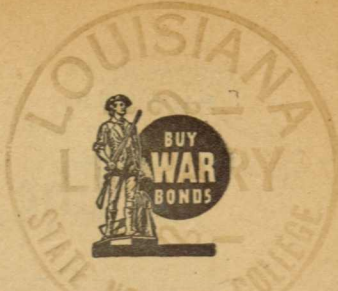
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College Gets Naval Cadet Unit

Annual Christmas Pageant To Be Presented Tonight at 7:30 in Fine Arts Auditorium on Campus

More Than 100 Students to Participate In Ceremony Which Was Originally Planned for Lake Banks

By GERALDINE BRICE

More than 100 students will participate in the annual Christmas pageant tonight at 7:30 in Fine Arts auditorium. Plans shifting the pageant from the banks of Cane River Lake in the city were announced yesterday.

The story which is taken from the Bible will be divided into seven parts as follows: the foretelling; the hordes of Judah; turning away from the Inn; the shepherds; the nativity; the wise men; and the recession.

The pageant will open with a scribe relating the added significance of the Christmas story in war-time. The entire drama will be pantomimed, and the reader's voice will be carried over a loud speaker in order to make it audible to all of those present.

Characters will be depicted in familiar costumes and scenes. The costumes were secured from New Orleans. Traditional carols and other songs reminiscent of the Yuletide will be sung in their significant places by members of the a cappella choir and the glee club.

The foretelling will be done by Charles Roberts and James Taylor. The main characters are Joseph, played by J. E. Tullos; Mary by Miriam Ewing; and the Inn keeper by Dennon Holmes.

Other characters in the pageant are the shepherds: Gary Fournet, Allen Bienvenue, Tommy Thompson, T. H. Lang, M. D. Wallace, Jewell Watson. The wise men: George Parks, John Parks, Jack Thompson. Followers of the wise men: Train 1, Evelyn Davis, Eloise Richmond, Ben Bradford, Allie Lee Aycock, Joy Lindsay, James Bailey, Cecil Owens, Sadie Grazafti, Verdie Gremillion, Scriven Pinckard, James Salter, J. B. Honord, Janet Shively; Train 2.

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Speech 202 Class to Sponsor Drive for Audience Attention

The Speech 202 class will sponsor a campaign to secure better audience appreciation, Miss Thera Stovall, instructor, announced this week. The campaign will start immediately following the Christmas holiday period.

Recent behavior evidenced at various entertainments here on the campus prompted the class to select the audience appreciation theme for its drive, it was announced. Former campaigns of the Speech 202 class have included changing The Current Sauce from a bi-weekly to a weekly publication and establishing a bureau for soldier entertainments.

To Play Lead Role in Pageant



MISS MIRIAM EWING

Noted 'Cellist to Appear in Concert Here January 7

By CURTIS GUILLET

Marcel Hubert, acclaimed as the most gifted French 'cellist, will be presented in the Normal auditorium Jan. 7, by the Lyceum Committee.

Mr. Hubert distinguished himself as a 'cellist at the age of 11 when he made his first concert tour of France, playing 17 engagements. At 13, he won the coveted First Prize at the Paris Conservatoire. A year later he made his official debut with the Colonne Orchestra under the baton of Messager.

He has played for the President of the French Republic and for the President of Brazil and was soloist at the great Fete at Sorbonne for Marshall Foch. In private musicales he played for the Duchesse de Guiche, the princesse polignac, the princesse de Faucigny-Lucinge, and the Comtesse Bonvouloir as well as many other royals.

His debut in the United States took place in Town Hall, New York. Since his initial appearance Marcel Hubert has played in almost every state in the Nation.

Students will use their coupon books for admission.

Final Approval for Base Here to Accommodate 600 Pre-Flight Cadets Given by State Board of Education

First Registration of 200 Cadets Is Expected on January 7; Final Quota To Arrive by March 7

By ALBERT SAUCIER

Final action in the establishment of a training base for a unit of 600 naval pre-flight cadets on the campus here was taken yesterday at a meeting of the State Board of Education in Baton Rouge. President Joe Farrar announced immediately after the state school body had unanimously approved the plan.

Quick Thinking And Action Avert Fire in Varnado

What might have been a serious fire in Varnado Hall Monday at noon was averted by the quick thinking and action of a trio of co-eds who triple-handed extinguished the blaze before it had gained any headway.

The fire was started when a lighted match was tossed carelessly on a pile of clothes by one of the girls as she left the room to answer a telephone call. Two coeds across the hall discovered the fire after they got a whiff of the smoke, and by using a pair of water glasses soon had the fire under control.

Several towels and a few unmentionables were destroyed in the blaze.

Student Council to Give Prize for Best Poster on Bonds Sale

The Student Council announced at its regular meeting Monday night that a prize of \$5.00 in defense stamps would be given for the best poster to promote the sale of defense bonds and stamps on the campus.

All posters must be turned in to Miss Mary Kathryn Griffin, Council secretary, not later than Monday, January 11.

First information that the campus had been selected for the base was received by college authorities last week through a telegram from the chief of naval personnel in Washington, D. C. Officials here had previously submitted a prospectus of the college to military officials in the nation's capital, and Navy representatives visited the campus several days ago to secure first-hand information regarding the placement of the unit here.

The plan involves the registration of 200 cadets on January 7, an additional 200 on February 7, with the maximum of 600 to be reached by March 7, officials stated this week.

Subjects to be taught by the college faculty include mathematics, physics, navigation, principles of flight, aerology, aircraft engines, and communications. Authorities pointed out this week that 28 full time or 46 part time instructors will be needed to present the academic work to the cadets, but explained that tentative plans for the teaching personnel will include some full time and some part time instructors. Probably some instructors will be transferred from various departments that are over-crowded with faculty members to teach the cadets in the several subjects, college authorities stated.

The naval cadets will be housed in the dormitories on (Continued on Page 4)

Christmas Holiday Period Officially Set by Authorities

The Christmas holiday period of 16 days will begin officially at the termination of the fourth period class at noon Friday and will end at 8 a. m. Monday, Jan. 4, officials of the college announced this week.

Dr. Marvin S. Pittman, director of instruction, stated that in his opinion no student should be absent from school the day before or the day after the holidays.

"The holidays are long enough that no one should have to leave early or be late in returning to the campus," declared Dr. Pittman.

The fall semester will end three weeks after the close of the Christmas holidays on Jan. 23. The spring semester will open with registration and classification of students on Jan. 25.

Writing Contest On War Effort Is Announced

A contest for college journalists on the subject of how students can best aid in the war effort was announced this week by Alpha Phi Gamma, honorary co-educational journalistic fraternity.

The article must be submitted in clipping form before Jan. 25, 1943, it was announced. The article must present in the form a feature story, a new story, or an editorial constructive suggestions on how college students may be of value to the faculties and to civilian and military authorities.

Staff members of The Current Sauce and students enrolled in the journalism class here are eligible to compete, officials stated this week. First prize is a \$25.00 war bond, with second prize \$5.00 in defense stamps, and third place \$1.25 in defense stamps.

Iota chapter of Alpha Phi Gamma was established on the local campus in 1928.

Swing Kings to Play in Lake Charles

The Swing Kings, campus orchestra, has accepted an engagement at the Palms in Lake Charles during the Christmas holidays.

The band will open Dec. 19 and play through Jan. 3. Crowell Eddy of Lake Charles is director of the college musicians.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS STRESS SENSE OF DUTY AND SELF-DENIAL IN ALL-OUT WAR EFFORT

By BARBARA GILLIS

That every American citizen should realize an increasing sense of duty and self-denial toward the war effort is exemplified in Christmas messages garnered this week from faculty members and students who represent a cross section of the campus population.

With the nation approaching its second wartime Christmas holiday, each message carries a thought of what every citizen should do to help win the war and bring back "Peace on Earth and Good Will toward Men." Not a

single frivolous wish or desire is included in the messages.

Headed by President Joe Farrar, five administrative staff and faculty members and five students were interviewed for their views on the season of the year. Their statements are as follows:

President Farrar: "As the yuletide season approaches, I want to extend to each of you the season's greetings and to wish for you a very Merry Christmas. When Santa comes to your houses, it is my hope that he will fill your stockings to overflowing with the things

your hearts most desire, and your hearts full with happiness and contentment. Let us all pray that ere another Christmas comes, there will come throughout the world 'Peace and Good Will to Men'."

Rose Langenstein: "While we are engaged in many activities during the Christmas holidays, let us not forget to devote part of our time to the Red Cross and to help others all we can, for the spirit of Christmas should be that of giving rather than receiving."

Dr. Marvin S. Pittman: "Christ-

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1942

Our College Has Gone to War

Our college has gone to war! The one great opportunity for us to go all-out in the war effort has come to us as the greatest Christmas present the institution has ever had. And everyone of us, from the president down to the humblest freshman, is happy that we will be able to do our full share in freeing the world from the enemies of mankind and again bring to all peoples the message of "Peace on Earth, Good Will toward Men."

The fact that the college has been selected by the chief of naval personnel in Washington as a training base for a naval unit of 600 pre-flight cadets exploded like a bomb on the campus last week-end when the good news was officially announced. There had been rumors afloat for some time that some such move was in the air, but few ever dreamed that the college would be so recognized by military officials of the nation. Final sanction for the unit to be established here was given yesterday by the State Board of Education in a meeting in Baton Rouge, and the first registration of cadets will come on January 7 just four days after students return from the holidays.

President Farrar and his administrative staff members are to be congratulated upon their securing this unit for the college. They have worked diligently and unceasingly to make this dream come true. There is no doubt that the college will profit immeasurably from having these 600 cadets from every section of the nation here on the campus. These men represent the very best in the nation; they are gentlemen in every sense of the word, bent upon the common purpose of every American of ridding the world from Hitler and his cohorts.

Although officials of the college and students alike have been doing a fair job in assisting in the war effort, this move will give everyone connected with the institution a sense that he is doing his part in this magnificent undertaking. Even more heartening is the fact that the cadets come to us at the very time we were faced with the possibility of having a "manless" campus. The tables now have been completely turned, and perhaps for the first time in the 58-year history of the college there will be more men on the campus than women.

It is needless to point out that every student and faculty member should feel it his duty to welcome these cadets to our college halls and to give them every assistance possible in helping them become oriented to their new surroundings.

A Sane Christmas

The nation is approaching its second wartime Christmas holiday in the last quarter of a century; and college students, like all other citizens, are taking a far more sober view of the season than they have exemplified in the past.

Last year at this time all of us were not aware of the grim horrors of war since the nation had been thrust into the holocaust only a few days prior to the holiday period. Now however, with many of our brothers, other relatives, friends and sweethearts fighting on many fronts in the global conflict, we are brought face to face with the significance of it all.

Almost every day we are asked and also ask ourselves what we can do on the home front to win the war and again bring "Peace on Earth and Good Will to Men". Some students may have the feeling that unless they are

In Concert Here



MARCEL HUBERT, distinguished French-American cellist will be presented by the Lyceum Committee on Jan. 7, 1943, in the Normal auditorium.

Former Editor of Local Paper Chews Up Sauce Copy

When a dog bites a man or devours a bone, that is not news; but when the former editor of a college paper chews up the copy of a group of "rank amateurs" who are striving to make the deadline, that is something that demands attention.

Sam Kendrick, former editor of *The Current Sauce*, who is said to be guilty of making the said deadline with all of his copy only a few minutes before the weekly sheet goes to press, suddenly became green with envy at the progress being made by the neophyte journalists Monday night, grabbed several sheets of "Satan's Satire", and when pursued down the hall of Fine Arts building by editors of the column actually devoured gobs of the stuff.

Luckily, the dispensers of this week's "dirt column" remembered the jabs and hastily re-wrote the copy in time to make the deadline and insure the paper's coming out a day ahead of Sam's regular sheet.

Potpourri Pictures Will Arrive After Christmas Holidays

Students may see the class pictures at the Potpourri office after the Christmas holidays. Orders for re-prints will be taken at this office.

engaged in actual war work, that they are not doing their duty toward winning the war. It is true that the war will be won by those directly in line of fire, but we must not forget the fact that those of us on the home front are expected to keep alive the fundamental principles which they are fighting so nobly to maintain.

First of all, and most important, we here at the college can prepare ourselves to become the kind of leaders in the educational world which the nation needs now and which it will demand when peace comes. At the same time we may use our leisure time in such efforts as making bandages, in knitting, and other Red Cross work.

Let us also not forget to invest every cent we can in war bonds and stamps to insure the continuation of production of guns, tanks, airplanes, ships, and ammunitions for our brave boys on every continent.

Of all Christmases this should be the most sane of all in our lifetime. Let us not purchase anything we do not actually need; let us cancel that trip we may have planned for the holidays in order to conserve rubber and gasoline and give our soldiers places on buses and trains so that they may spend the holidays (perhaps the last for many) with their relatives and friends.

By doing all these things we here at the college can carry out the Christmas spirit this year in the manner Our Savior would have us because these things will help in making the kind of world He wants.

Christmas Background Features Series Of Social Events Here This Week

By JULIENNE DAVID

The Junior Dramatic Club, future competition to Lamar and Gable, strictly went Hollywood at their Christmas party Friday afternoon.

Each member came as his favorite movie actor or actress and the place was literally crowded with celebrities.

With carols, games, and plenty of fun for all, the members ushered in the Christmas season in fine style.

Pi Omega Pi, honorary commerce fraternity, left shorthanded and Income Tax at school and made merry at a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Morrison, Friday night.

Mr. Mouser acted as Santa Claus and distributed the many presents that were under a lighted Christmas tree. Incidentally, ask Mr. Easley about the present he received.

Delta Kappa Gamma met here Saturday night for the initiation of six new members. The initiation was held in the Fine Arts Building after which a banquet at the Nakatosh Hotel was held.

The new members are as follows: Miss Schralie Russell, Natchitoches; Mrs. Maud Brown, Readhimer; Miss Marie Fletcher, Verda; Miss Cornelia Melancon, Cypress; Miss Aline Cobb, East Point; and Mrs. Mattie Teddlie Woodward, Natchitoches.

Miss Scharlie Russell was librarian here at the college until

her retirement three years ago. She is the first honorary member of this chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma.

Theta Sigma Upsilon entered into the Christmas spirit with a gala party Saturday night in their sorority room.

Each member brought a guest and there was dancing to a nickelodeon. The climax of the evening was a "Soap Race" which proved to be both exciting and fast-moving.

Small gifts of toys were exchanged. These were left at the sorority room to be sent later to the children at the Training school.

The pledges of Pi Kappa Sigma borrowed their theme from Santa Claus and Uncle Sam to entertain the members of the sorority at a patriotic Christmas party, Tuesday night.

Entertainment included a song by Barbara Gillis, whistling by Mary Lynn Seagers, and a song by Nancy Ann Lynn.

The gifts under the Christmas tree were then presented to the members by their "little sisters."

The members and pledges of Alpha Sigma Alpha celebrated the Christmas season at a party in the home of Miss Manette Swett, alumna of that sorority, Tuesday night.

Every girl brought gifts of toys which were sent to the children at the Training school who would not otherwise receive presents this Christmas.

Thanks a Million

Members of the journalism class take this method to thank the editor of *The Current Sauce* and his staff for permission to edit this week's issue of the paper.

Many obstacles too numerous to mention have confronted the class in its trials and tribulations this week, but the experience gained has been worth the effort.

Realizing that the issue is far below the high standard set by the regular staff, the journalism class asks that the readers of this week's paper overlook the many errors that appear throughout the columns.

THIS CHRISTMAS—1942

Let us come to Christmas with songs in our throats—songs of Bethlehem and earth and man.

There will be death and children's laughter,

There will be candle light and cedar boughs,

There will be steel-cold hate, and a cross and a star;

But listen, we are not afraid. We are not afraid of war.

We have been mad and drunken, filled with hatred and despair.

We shall not again go into darkness, nor admit despair.

We have built a wall about us now.

Now we know that some things will never change. Some things will always be the same.

America is still America, and what ever new things come will be American.

The earth will not change, and all the things that come up from the earth and go back into it.

What ever comes from earth will be good—we will make it so.

The Christ Child is the same. He is the love that is within the hearts of people—

Love that soars with silver wings; Love in hands clasped, white and brown hands—

Love that was born a little child in Bethlehem.

Be still and I will tell you— It is only men who change.

But now we know. Now we are sure and we are not afraid.

So let us come to this Christmas—a beautiful creed and dream that we have made—with strong purposeful hands and iridescent joy.

—Nadyne Fargerson



Music Fraternity Gives First Recital Tues. in Fine Arts

Phi Mu Alpha, national honorary music fraternity, which was founded on the campus last semester, gave its first recital Tuesday night in the auditorium of Fine Arts.

American music in general, with many works of new composers, was stressed in the program of vocal solos, instrumental solos and chamber music groups, and the premiere of an original composition by Lorane Brittain was one of the highlights of the evening.

Fourth Woman Faculty Member Leaves Campus

The fourth woman member of the faculty and administrative staff to leave the campus this year for war duties is Miss Laura Jones, cataloger in the library, who accepted a position as camp librarian at Camp McCain, Grenada, Miss. Miss Jones left here Tuesday.

Other women members of the faculty and administrative staff to enter various forms of the armed forces of the nation this year are Miss Eve Mouton, member of the department of languages; Miss Helen Buck, dietitian in the student center cafe; and Miss Marzelle Fisher, secretary in the department of music.

NEWMAN CLUB GIVES PARTY

The Newman club held its annual Christmas party in the Newman House Sunday, Dec. 13, at 6:00. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Horseshoe Meet, Ping Pong Tourney Near Completion

Three students reached the semi-finals of the horseshoe singles tournament, and one combination arrived at the third round of the doubles tournament in the intramural program here this week.

Ralph Hudson, Ivan Woodard and Carlton Johnson, by winning over their opponents in the third round, have gained places in the semi-finals bracket of the singles in horseshoe pitching. In the doubles contest Cecil Jones and Bobby Doell won over Tommy Bambrick and Willie Lutgring to advance to the third round.

Ocie Richie, Roland Hussey, Frank Lampkin, Albert Saucier, Carlton Johnson, and John Sudbury have by virtue of victories over their opponents in the second round reached the quarter final bracket of the ping pong contest. The remaining places in the quarter finals will be occupied by the winners of the Hudson-Perkins game, and the Plunkett-Murphy affair.

Volleyball, the next tournament on the intramural schedule, is expected to get under way shortly after the Christmas holidays.

Yuletide Spirit Is Theme of Program in Varnado on Sunday

By MARGUERITE SQUYRES
Local students entered into the Yuletide spirit Sunday afternoon in the program presented by the Y. W. C. A. and the entire women student body in the drawing room of Varnado Hall.

Guests, faculty members and students gathered in the drawing room at 4 o'clock to listen to recordings of classical music. Dwight Davis, band director, led the group in singing Christmas carols. Refreshments in the form of a buffet supper were served later during the program.

Miniature Christmas scenes which were planned by each of the women's residence halls claimed much attention. The mantelpiece was decorated with Santa and his reindeer. Small tables displayed the manger, snow scenes, and the familiar fireplace with stockings filled with war stamps.

French Club Organizes, Elects Officers for Year

At an organization meeting last week the French club elected officers for the year and decided to hold regular meetings twice each month during the remainder of the session.

New officers of the club are: Helena LeBlanc, president; Tommy Thompson, vice-president; Marian Thiac, secretary-treasurer; and Grace King, reporter. The group sang Christmas carols in French after the business session.

Y.M., Y.W. Hold Joint Christmas Program Sunday

The Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. A. held a joint Christmas program in the Little Theatre of Fine Arts Sunday afternoon, with presidents of both organizations presiding.

Opening with an organ prelude by Margaret Griffin, the program was as follows: prayer by Glynn Corley; scripture reading, Taylor Finlay; song, Edith Kuhn; poem, Mary Ellen Caldwell; trumpet solo, Crowell Eddy, accompanied by Doris Leoneie; and a talk, Virginia Cook.

College Clubs Sing Christmas Carols

The French Club, the A Cappella Choir and the Glee Club plan to celebrate the Christmas season by singing carols this week.

The members of the French Club will make their tour of the campus on Thursday night after the pageant. They extend a cordial invitation to those who like to sing Christmas carols to join them.

The A Cappella Choir plans to sing carols throughout town on Thursday night following the Christmas pageant.

On Friday morning at 5:30 the members of the Y. W. C. A. plan to meet at the Y House to go over the campus singing carols.

Miss Winters Subs For Miss Chandler In Wesley Meeting

In the absence of Miss Mamie Chandler, who has been called away to her home in South Carolina because of the illness of her aunt, Miss Catherine Winters led the Sunday morning lesson. Continuing a discussion which she had begun at a previous meeting with the group, Miss Winters spoke on some Christian attitudes in the dealings with Latin American countries.

Final Assembly of Year Held Yesterday

The last assembly of the year was presented here yesterday in the form of a Christmas program under the direction of the music and speech departments.

The program consisted of one number by the choral reading group under the direction of Miss Thera Stovall, four numbers by the a cappella choir under the direction of Walter Mason, and four numbers by the concert band under the direction of Dwight G. Davis. A special feature was a vibraphone solo by Miss Mary Kathryn Griffin.

Demon Cagers Open 1943 Season With 43-22 Win Over Army Team

C.P.T. Program On Campus Has New Instructor

Stewart A. Ferguson Becomes Head of Flying School Here This Week

Stewart A. Ferguson became the new instructor of the C.P.T. program when it was re-established on the campus this week.

The new instructor in the war program here holds the A.B. and M.A. degrees in physical education from L.S.U. and has done graduate work on the Ph.D. degree.

His teaching field here will cover mathematics, meteorology, physics, navigation, civil aviation regulations and physical education.

The enrollees in the C.P.T. program will include 15 navy and 5 army fliers who will receive a basic training of two months embracing 240 hours of ground school and 30 to 40 hours of actual flying in the light craft used here.

At present the program will be carried out at the auxiliary field close to Clarence, it was announced this week by A. T. Browne, faculty co-ordinator. Work of the class will be transferred to the local airport adjoining the campus as soon as the field is completed, early next year, officials stated.

The enrollees in the navy department will come from the De-

Coach H. Lee Prather's 30th basketball team opened its 1943 streamlined season here Friday night with a 43 to 22 win over a stubborn army quintet from Camp Beauregard.

The Demon basketball team was minus the services of one player who had a minor leg injury and three others who were away taking examinations for the Reserves.

Getting off to a slow start, the Demons led by two points at the end of the first quarter. Coach Prather then began sending in replacements, all members seeing action at least once during the game.

The locals missed numerous shots throughout the game, partially due to the army team's stubborn defense and probably because of early season nervousness in playing their first game. As a whole, the Demons looked capable of dealing a lot of misery to any competition available, playing a commendable floor game all the way with good shooting appearing in places.

As yet the possibility of a good schedule appears doubtful with the L. I. C. being definitely out and very few other schools in this area showing intentions of having a team.

troit, Michigan area. The army fliers will be selected from local men.

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In spite of the fact that Sam (Boogie Man) Kendrick ate most of our copy, we managed to salvage enough from his drooling lips to complete our column. (It must have been tasty.)

Ah, revenge!!

Relieved of the burden he has carried so faithfully throughout this semester, Sam has had more time to devote to his practice teaching, and Silvia Hooks, star pupil in his history class. Try as he may, he can't seem to arouse her interest in his course. (Various prefixes).

The aforementioned "Boogie man" seems to have finally given up the mad race among the Potpourri staff, the Davis Players, the armed forces, home town boys, etc., etc., for the affections of Louise "Sadie" Hawkins. The race seems to have narrowed down to a neck and neck finish between the Potpourri staff and the Davis Players. However, never say die Kendrick, has turned to his secretary, in true story book fashion, namely Doris "Boogie" Leone.

Waddy Thomley alias Black Lake Lochinvar is convinced that some guys aren't safe with girls at night even under these powerful flood lights on the campus. Quote: I was minding my own business, simply holding her hand when she grabbed me, and right under the light too, and tried to kiss me. Natchely, ah refused. End quote. When asked who this man handler was Waddy replied, "I don't remember her name."

To depart from the usual trend of this column we wish to offer our sincere congratulations to Melba Law and Earnest (not D. D.) "Bama" Wright on their engagement, officially announced last Saturday night.

We notice also that "something new has been added" to the proverbial "third finger left hand" of Rita Sterkx. The lucky man in this case is Bob Dorman.

Lenora Flores realized what the saying "Gobs of trouble" really meant when an old flame (a sailor too, girls), focused his glowing orbs on the sparking of Arnold Kilpatrick and Lenora in their usual date room. Complications arose! After two feeble attempts (via messengers) to entice Miss Flores from the room he waited patiently (?) until he was saved by the bell. They finally met in the center of the ring and with hasty explanations by Lenora all differences were settled.

James "Cook" Bailey has no local loves, he has no serious worries. He has a reputation of being of sane sober character. (?) What we can't understand is: what drove him to place his helpless body on the rails beneath a box car. Incidentally, he was rescued by two "angels of mercy."

In case you might have wondered about that queer panther-like sound ringing through the bottoms of East Natchitoches late these recent nights, we might state that it is only Ralph McFarland returning over the bridge from Dorothy Brock's abode.

Dobson gave up but it seems that "Hank" Prather is still pursuing Marilyn Callendar, although his case seems hopeless too. Hank left the show in the middle of a feature to keep an appointment with her but she decided she'd rather go with Purvis Landry that night. Even this hasn't stopped Hank; he still waits patiently at her dorm, hoping to get an even break.

Earline Treadway seems to be developing another case, this time it's J. P. Easley. What will his fate be?

Christmas Pageant Cadet Unit-

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Trudy Herron, Marjorie Smith, Sara Rure, Dorothy Walker, Shirley Babin, Alden Vige, Frank DeLoach, Adelaide Smith, Anna Belle Landry, James Jackson, Maureen Holtsclaw, Jean Holtsclaw; Train 3, Mary Sylvest, Carolyn Russell, Tossye Lee Hewitt, Catherine McCarty, Lottie Tarver, James Love, Mary Jean Swift, Vickie Sansing, Gloria Bayard, H. T. Garner, Harren McKinny, Le-Roi Eversull.

The college, the city of Natchitoches, and the Garden club are sponsoring the pageant. The expense will be shared by the college and the city.

The pageant production committee consists of Miss Annetta L. Wood, chairman; Miss Leora Blair, co-chairman; Walter Mason, Mrs. Olive Cooper, Mrs. Geo. Sutton, Mrs. J. S. Mitchell, Miss Thera Stovall, and others.

the campus and will be fed in the dining hall. Housing plans are now being worked out by college officials, and no definite announcement regarding the dormitories to be used will be made until later.

Classes which the cadets will attend will be separate and distinct from those of regularly enrolled students, it was announced, and will in no way affect the regular routine of the college.

All enrollees in the cadet pre-flight school here will be graduates of approved high schools and many will be students who have received some college instruction, officials stated. It is believed that most of the naval cadets will be men from the states of Louisiana, Mississippi, Arkansas, and Oklahoma, although there may be several from other sections of the nation.

Greetings-

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mas is one time each year when all of us should wish to make everyone happy. Our interest should not be in ourselves, but in others. Too often we send greetings and give presents to others because of a certain sense of commercial or social obligation, because we suspect that they will send us something and we therefore must reciprocate. So, we engage in a great seasonal 'exchange.' Would it not be both interesting and satisfying if this year, for once, we were to change the pattern, discard the element of 'barter' and send our greetings and give our presents to those to whom our thoughtfulness would give the greatest pleasure?"

"Suppose we send real letters instead of commercialized greetings; they will mean much more to our friends. Suppose we give of our very selves, something which we have created—a poem, a pie, a plow, a picture, a program for personal or social improvement, a prayer for personal peace. Such a gift will bespeak our hands, our heads, our hearts and will be freed from the limitations of our purses."

"Sometimes we think of our friends who are far away but overlook and neglect those of our own household—a dad who needs and deserves our unstinted appreciation; a mother who is physically tired and should have a vacation, who would thrill over a pretty dress which she has willingly denied herself ever since our coming."

"A question which we should all ask ourselves now is: 'How much happier will our parents be this Christmas because of our increased generosity?' Certainly each of us will reveal in many ways during the approaching holidays the degree to which college life and learning have helped us to become better followers of Him whose birth Christmas celebrates."

Etoile Mobley: "Girls, don't forget to visit the Red Cross surgical dressing room in your home town during the holidays. They need all the help they can get and just because this will be a vacation period for us, we should not forget to do our share. Also, during your leisure time, why not knit a sweater for your sweetheart, brother, or friend in the service?"

Dr. Andrew W. Hunt: "'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace and good will toward men', is a two thousand year old phrase which seems completely outmoded in the middle of a murderous war brought on by a mechanized age. 'Fear not; for, behold I bring you tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people', sounds extremely queer when all the world lies in fear and dread, and joy has seemingly been banished from the earth."

"Yet, in the middle of the war and strife there can be peace. It is that peace which passeth all understanding, and is found today in all corners of the world; in the Far East with the grasping tentacles of the Rising Sun; in the frozen wastelands of Russia; in the desert sands of Africa with the bloody swastika crushing life and where the little Benito's are tormenting the face of man. Yes, it is found the world around. The soldiers on the battle front, battling the imperialistic foes of mankind, can still possess in their hearts peace, good will, and the perfect love which casteth out fear."

"These are not age worn phrases of empty words, but consoling messages to a war-torn world."

"Fear not; for, behold I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people."

"Glory to God in the highest,

and on earth peace, good will toward men."

"This is my Christmas wish to you all."

Mary Kathryn Griffin: "Especially at this season of the year we find sympathy and understanding more prominent than usual. Today this world is certainly in need of sympathetic and understanding people. We, as students, can help a great deal more than we realize. First, by doing all we can to boost morale; second, by taking advantage of the many opportunities we have; and third, by doing our part for defense."

"If you haven't done your part, today is the time to begin. Begin with a smile and remember that 'If you smile, the world smiles with you.'"

Dwight Davis: "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Let your first New Year's resolution be: 'I will do all I can to contribute to the war effort.'"

Kitty Bordelon: "Our boys are fighting so that we may enjoy the things for which Christmas stands—peace, harmony and the love of our fellowman. Why can't we do our part so that in the near future they may enjoy these privileges with us?"

Iona Berry: "It is my wish at this joyous season of the year that each student enrolled in the college and each member of the faculty and staff will remember that it was long ago God dreamed a dream of Peace, and Good Will to all men, and that today we will remember and dream that dream again."

"My prayer, in the words of Tiny Tim, is 'God bless us every one.'"

Sammy Griffin: "While most of us are enjoying as nice a Christmas as possible, our boys are all over the world fighting and dying

for us. Why not promise that you will do all in your power toward the War Effort during the coming year?"



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Pre-Flight School Gets Under Way

Hubert Gets Cool Reception In Thursday Concert

Marcel Hubert, the eminent French cellist, proved beyond the grasp of most of his audience last Thursday when he played before the members of the Natchitoches Co-operative Concerts Association and the students of the Normal. Possibly the trouble was that his program lacked music with which the audience was familiar.

Mr. Hubert, lacking the fire and brilliance usually displayed by eminent cellists, amazed his somewhat mildly responsive audience with his remarkable bow control; especially in his up and down-bow staccato passages. Though the intonation was ragged at times, the left-hand finger dexterity was noticeably outstanding. His last group was his best. He very graciously offered two encores; namely, Haydn — "Minuet", and Saint-Saens, "Le Cygne."

M. Hubert's program follows: "Sonata in E Major" (Francoeur) "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn)

"Jota" (de Falla)
"Intermezzo" (Lalo)
"Variations" (Tchaikowsky)
"Kol Nidrei" (Bruch)
"Legende" (Wieniawski)
"Habanera" (Ravel)
"Hungarian Rhapsody" (Poper)

His accompanist was Harold Dart, who played a group of piano solos which included Haydn's "Rondo in A," Debussy's "General Lavine," and Dohnanyi's "Capriccio in F Minor."

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

All students who will not be in school next semester should turn in their library cards before leaving the campus.

Please do not neglect this matter.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday, Jan. 15-Monday, Jan. 25

Friday, January 15

Natatorium: Swimming Meet, 7:00-8:00 p. m.

Saturday, January 16

Student Center: All Student Formal Dance, 8:30-11:45 p. m.

Men's Gymnasium: All Student Play Party, 8:30-11:45 p. m.

Monday, January 18

Wesley Foundation Cabinet Meeting, 6:45-7:30 p. m.

Y House: A. A. U. W. Meeting 7:30 p. m.

Home Economics Style Review, 1:30 p. m., Home Economics Dept.

Tuesday, January 19

Examinations
B. S. U. Council Meeting, 6:30-6:45 p. m.

Wednesday, January 20

Examinations
No informal dance

Thursday, January 21

Examinations

Friday, January 22

Examinations

Monday, January 25

Student Center: President's Birthday Dance, 9:00-11:45 p. m.
March of Dimes—all day.



SWING KINGS TO DISBAND; PRESIDENT'S BALL WILL BE LAST APPEARANCE OF ENTIRE BAND

Orchestra Has Long, Successful History

When it rains it pours! Just as local worshipers at the shrine of Jumpin' Jive were getting all hepped over the prospect of a spring of boy's tags with plenty of manpower, two long black gowns, with tasseled caps to match, and a flock of potential, "The President Sends You Greetings" have knocked the "licorice sticks" and "skins" completely out of their collegiate setting, leaving jitterbugs and slo-joes alike out on a musical limb with nothing but canned Benny Goodman for company.

All of which is our way of bemoaning the fact that the Swing Kings, campus swing band of long standing, will take a final curtain call 11 days and two dances from now when they help celebrate the President's birthday by playing a dance on the night of Monday, January 25. Next Saturday the Kings will play their last all-college dance. Then, after the birthday dance, most of them will be draping their tuxes in cedar bags and grabbing stripeless khaki uniforms and Uncle Sam will have himself a brand new bunch of "boogie-woogie bugle boys."

Slightly consoling is the news that seven of the ten members of the present organization will be here for an indefinite—but probably short—time after the beginning of the new semester. Then, when the ERC's, Army Air Corps and Selective Service Boards get in their dirty work, whoever is left among the ruins may possibly gather a fistfull of new disciples and stay on the platform if not in the groove.

Even the most inept of carnival fortune tellers could take a quick cross-eyed glance at the Kings of Corn and confidently predict their future. It stack up about like this: Two men are due to get a handful of sheep skin and the gate at the end of this semester. Two more are ERC's. One is lined up for a pair of the Army Air Corps' silver wings and another is a mere half-step ahead of "Local Board No. 1", and weakening fast. Doris Leone is seriously considering the

Naval Air Corps and two of the boys have been in the market for a good cheap head-stone ever since they got their "4-F" classification cards.

The crew that leaves the stand at 11:45 on the night of the Birthday Ball will be breaking up an organization that has been composed of the same members for almost two years now. In that time the Kings have played for dances in three states, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas. Engagements at the Bentley Hotel, Alexandria; Washington-Youree Hotel, Shreveport; Beverly Gardens, El Dorado, Ark.; Blue Moon Club, Bunkie; Hotel Grim, Texarkana, Tex.; and the Broadmoor Club, Shreveport—plus plenty of other snooty joints. The local group even invaded two other campuses during their period together. They played once on the S.L.I. campus in Lafayette for the Azealia Festival conducted there each year, and performed at John McNeese Junior College in Lake Charles.

Latest, and longest, of the many foreign engagements was the 15-day engagement at the Palms Club in Lake Charles. Playing from December 19 to January 2, the collegians drew a record crowd at the big South Louisiana club, according to the statement of the Palms' publicity agent. The Kings plan to play a return engagement in Lake Charles next Friday and Saturday nights.

All this traveling and tooting started in 1936 when local students

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250 Navy Cadets Begin Classes

With the establishment of a Naval Flight Preparatory School of several hundred cadets on the campus, the college here is doing its full share in helping win the war.

The first contingent of 250 cadets arrived on the campus last week and classes in four special courses for the cadets were started this week. Other groups will enroll in the preparatory school here in February and March, officials stated. The school is expected to be maintained at the college for the duration of the war, with new contingents moving in as those who have completed the course move on to other posts.

Fifteen members of the local college faculty were selected this week to teach the first contingent of cadets in four subjects. A dozen or more instructors will be added to the preparatory school faculty when the second and third groups arrive. Full-time instructors named this week to teach the present group of cadets are: Miss Leora Blair, Alvin Good, A. M. Hopper, R. W. Winstead and Otis R. Crew, mathematics; Courtney Aldrich, George L. Parks, H. L. Barr, F. G. Fournet and Leroy S. Miller, physics; Glynn Corley, M. T. Cheves, Dr. Lauretta Fox and H. J. Sudbury, navigation; and H. L. Young, communications. Other subjects to be taught the cadets here include aerology, principles of flight, and aircraft engines.

Classes which the cadets are attending are separate and distinct from those of regularly enrolled students and in no way affect the routine of the college schedule. All enrollees in the flight preparatory school are graduates of approved high schools and many have received some college instruction.

Although the cadets are housed in dormitories on the campus and have their meals in the college dining hall, officials of the college pointed out this week that all regular students enrolling for the spring semester on January 25 will be accommodated and that no student will be prohibited from registering for the new session on account of crowded conditions on the campus. There will positively be room for all, officials stated this week.

In addition to being under regular navy regulations, the cadets in the school here are also required to observe strict campus regulations laid down by the officials of the college. The cadets are permitted to participate in regular campus activities including a weekly dance in the student center and an all-college play party in the men's gymnasium every Saturday night.

Regularly enrolled students will be given their final examinations for the fall semester next week beginning Tuesday. The spring semester will open on Monday, January 25, with registration and classification of students, and with classroom work beginning on Tuesday, January 26, officials stated.

The program will feature the music of Strauss, Victor Herbert and Stephen Foster. The musicale is to be conducted at 5:30.

Swimming Classes To Hold Meet Here Friday

There will be an inter-class swimming meet for boys Friday night, Jan. 15 from 7:00 until 8:00 o'clock in the College Natatorium. Boys from the two college swimming classes will compete. The class which meets on MWF will swim as the Purple team, and the TTH class will carry a white banner.

The events will be classified so that boys of any level of swimming ability will have a chance to compete against persons of like ability. The program of events is as follows: 200 ft. free style, jelly fish float for time, 60 ft. running dash, under water swimming for distance, 100 ft. free style, prone glide and flutter kick for distance, cowboy relay (a novelty event), and 400 ft. free style relay.

At the halfway point in the meet the advanced aquatic group will give an exhibition of formation swimming. The following students are members of this group: Alice Bradley, Barbara Hussey, Susan Jones, Clare Madison, Catherine Nelken, Dorothy Faye Perry, Jean Philibert, Bobbie Doell, James Foard, Roland Hussey, Fay Perkins, Roger Sherman, W. E. Timon, and William Welch.

The swimming meet is being directed by Mr. Brown, and Miss Ostlund sponsors of the advanced aquatic group.

THIRD MUSICALE TO BE PRESENTED IN VARNADO SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The third in a series of musicales will be presented in the drawing room of Varnado Hall Sunday afternoon, beginning at four o'clock, it was announced this week by members of the Y. W. C. A., sponsors of the programs. The public is invited.

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Kendrick Isn't On A Pension—Yet

We have, for a good many weeks, been conscious of the fact that many students are disgruntled because of the failure of The Current Sauce to appear every week of this semester. We, too, have been considerably upset about the matter but conditions have been such that the paper could not be published every week. However, we feel it only right that some explanation should be made concerning the publishing of the paper and the policy which we will follow in the future.

The simple fact of the matter is that **income has been cut in half while expenses have increased.** Every drop in enrollment has meant a drop in our income but not a drop in our expenses, since it costs practically as much to print one paper as it does to print a thousand.

We realized this at the very first of the year and consequently cut expenses as far as possible. We reduced the paper to the smallest possible size. We have managed for pictures through the college publicity department. The paper did not pay any expenses to the State Fair game this year although previous seasons have seen five or six staff members attending with expenses paid. Every penny of our funds has been spent for only the most **essential** of expenses.

Yet, our budget would not allow for publishing a paper every week. The Current Sauce will do little more than break even for the first semester. And next semester enrollment will probably drop even more. This means that further irregularity may be expected although we have hopes of remaining on an almost weekly basis.

On the other hand, **we have published as many issues of The Current Sauce as were published during the fall semester last year.** Thirteen issues were published in the fall of 1941-42. This is our twelfth issue and next week's paper will be the thirteenth.

In short, we have stretched our funds as far as possible and still they did not stretch far enough. We have planned carefully and have managed to publish as many issues as were published during a similar period last year. **Thoroughout, we have refused to spend next semester's income to meet this semester's expenses.** We are still on sound financial footing.

This is not an apology but rather an expression of our regrets and an explanation of the situation. To you who have been patient and understanding we extend our pledge to keep publishing the paper as often as is possible. To any of you who still cannot, or will not, understand our predicament we pass the raspberries and bid you go seek a good course in elementary arithmetic.

Speech Class Lists Rules For Audiences Attending Local Formal Affairs

The campaign of the speech 202 class to secure better audience appreciation at all gatherings made some progress here last week when members of the class made brief talks in their other classes, listing some of the rules which students are being asked to follow when attending performances.

Among the practices listed as taboo by the class are: whistling, stamping, calling the actual name of the performer, lounging in seat, leaving before the program is over, chewing gum on formal occasions and applauding after the National Anthem.

Members of the class hope that the local student body will take

into consideration all the principles of audience appreciation that have been put before them, it was announced this week.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE Fall Semester 1942

Tuesday, January 19	
8:00-10:00	1st Period Monday
10:15-12:15	2nd Period Monday
1:15-3:15	3rd Period Monday
Wednesday, January 20	
8:00-10:00	4th Period Monday
10:15-12:15	5th Period Monday
1:15-3:15	6th Period Monday
Thursday, January 21	
8:00-10:00	1st Period Tuesday
10:15-12:15	2nd Period Tuesday
1:15-3:15	3rd Period Tuesday
Friday, January 22	
8:00-10:00	4th Period Tuesday
10:15-12:15	5th Period Tuesday
1:15-3:15	6th Period Tuesday

Society

By EDITH M. WEBER

Society would have liked to top off the old year with ice cream and serve it up to the New Year infant a la mode, but even Bossy has gone into defense along with Dobin. . .

Should Auld Acquaintance

Things have changed since the old days . . . when funsters pulled in from the forest a Yule log and made merry until it had dissolved in embers. Nowadays, in a more modern way, we 20th century unprintables use a gas heater and stay drunk (not literally) the rest of the semester.

"I Promise"

But despite the fact that we have lost sight somewhat of the manger castle of our peace, even our prayerless, praiseless hearts may pause for a few belated but decisive resolutions . . .

We resolve:

(The faculty) . . . To budget so that we can get the most out of the four gallons per week. . .

(The students) . . . to take a vacuum tank to class and collect substance to supplement our rationing.

(Football boys) . . . To show the guests—even though we are patriotic—who that water-tank "N" belongs to.

(The Guests) . . . to find that mister's sister.

The girls who have lost their freedom since) . . . to get out of circulation and give someone else a chance.

W.A.A.) . . . To Hale America and "Heel" Hitler.

Freshman Girls) . . . with a glint in the off eye) . . . to be worth fighting for.

(A Cappella Choir . . . to eat more bird seed—for purposes of morale building.

(Satan of "Satire") . . . I'll go barefoot to conserve, but don't ask me not to rubberneck for dirt.

(The Bandage Girls) . . . We swear—to do our share.

(The Japs—picked up by the radio boys in the physics lab) . . . I resolve to see at which night club Hon. Sun is hanging out.

Hail the Gobs . . . and Gobs

The fortunates on the campus within the last few days were freshman girls who donned their other faces and formed an official receiving line at the "at home" given in "D" dormitory last Sunday. But we ain't jealous. . . Sigh! We sure ain't.

We saw 'em all at the informal last Saturday night. They're good spectators at basketball games—even if they do cheer for the army; they're hilarious at play parties; they dance reasonably well and have a line that's average. Oh! Why am I passing out the apples? They like us too! We can tell.

"First Aid"

However, nobody's getting excited . . . we've got too many problems. We keep wondering about what grandma will think about the "D" in political science . . . what the pigeons in Warren Easton mean by calling "Hut—two—three—four!" Why the roommate keeps caressing the folds of the skirt of the new taffeta formal and isolating Saturday on the calendar . . . where these new impromptu songs are coming from: "My Heart Belongs to the Navy" and "There's a New Skipper Sailin' My Moon."

Of Words And Whistles Or How To Catch One

By NADYNE FARGERSON

(Ed. Note: With everyone on the campus from the high-ups to the low-downs giving either lectures or field course in How To Catch A You-Know-What, The Current Sauce must follow suit or the staff will be suspected of being People Who Open Doors For Coeds.)

My dearest, darling Diary,

"Words, words, words"—I wish I could remember who said that. I like to quote important people. Oh I usually say what I think but everyone says, "How true—Shakespeare said that!" Then we all feel important, that is, everyone except Shakespeare.

Whoever said this "words, words, words" probably knew what he was talking about. But if I could meet hmi face to face, even before breakfast, I could tell him a thing or two guaranteed to make his old "words" business absolutely pale.

The words system of communication is an intricate thing. One must consider air conduction, acoustic nerves, arytenoid cartilages, and a great many other—well, STUFF. (This is really good. Continue reading the glossary of that speech book.)

This revolutionary communicative (and how!) process I'm about to reveal to you is so simple that a baby could use it if she keep her mind on puckering her lips and curling her tongue at the same time. I'd be willing to bet my last dollar, if I had it back, that the long, low whistle has brought about as many changes as almost anybody's kiss. (Names of exceptions given to interested parties in exchange for dirt of equal interest.)

Technique

The whistle is effective even for the least experienced. Of course, you can't expect to get your man every time. A great part of its effectiveness depends on how much energy, oomph, expression and should you put into it—practice helps. Then there is the problem of volume. That is, whether I'm on the first or third floor of my dormitory and whether he's in the field house, under my window or across the square.

A factor of tremendous importance is the window shade. Does that seem strange? What incentive could a girl have for whistling to a drawn shade if Uncle Sam

B. S. U.

The Baptist Student Union will be host to the Play Party sponsored by the college next Saturday night, 8:30. A well-planned party with plenty of fun is under way.

On Sunday afternoon the B. S. U. will entertain in honor of the officers and cadets of the Naval Pre-Flight School from three to five at the First Baptist Church. A splendid informal program with refreshments and good fellowship will be anticipated. All students and faculty members are invited.

We are fortunate indeed to announce that Dr. Harry Rimmer (the man with four doctor's degrees) of New York and Los Angeles, will be speaker at special services on the campus and at the First Baptist Church. He is a Bible Conference lecturer on Science and Religion of national and international renown, and author of more than twenty books. His general theme will be "The Harmony of Science and Scriptures." This Religious Emphasis Week will be February 21-28.

himself strolled by on the other side of the despised blind? It just isn't done in the more matrimonially inclined families. To the discreet this is significant:

1. "Here I am" air.
2. Whether or not subject of interest is 'cute'.
3. Degree of preoccupation of cute subject.
4. Proximity to those who disapprove.

5. Miscellaneous — oh, you know. I refer to my Student Handbook, page 44, the first rule under "Miscellaneous" is, "Talking out of windows is forbidden at all times." That covers the military situation pretty well as far as talking out of windows is concerned. I wonder, diary, if the whistle is a word when skillfully employed.

"To be or not to be, that is the question." Well, why not, darling diary—Whistler's own dear mother was.

Love, and love, and love,
Dorothy

P. S.: Yes, she was a whistler, and believe me, I wouldn't tell her about that cute (censored I saw last night.

WESLEY FOUNDATION WELCOMES CADETS

Of course we are glad to have the cadets with us; The Methodist church and the Wesley Foundation extend a cordial invitation to the cadets to attend services and young people's meetings. The student class is held at the church at 9:45 each Sunday morning. Church services begin at 10:50 a. m. On Sunday evenings, at 6:30, there is a friendly gathering, followed by a discussion group, for young people. At all times the Wesley Foundation room in the Religious Center is open so that students may come in, read the paper and magazines, listen to the radio, or just talk.

At the beginning of this new year, we should like to urge all Methodist young people—not only cadets, but all—especially those who in the past have failed to join any of the young people's groups in their churches, to take advantage of at least some of these meetings.

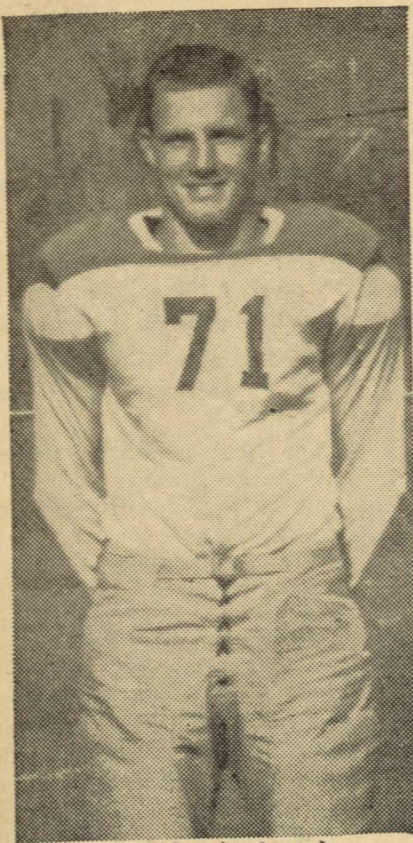
On this Sunday evening at 6:30 there will be a social program at the church, especially for cadets. The ladies of the church and the student members of Wesley Foundation have planned this together and are hoping to have a large crowd.

Also the discussion group offers a new attraction—a series of discussions on world events, with the Christian's part emphasized. The idea was initiated last Sunday evening in an excellent New Year's program, in which Trudy Herron, Jane Davis, Lila Falconer, Jean Vosburg, and Betty Rose Kinchen brought out the challenge to the student. Karen Sue Stewart and Julia Pace played a violin duet.

Students Urged to Pay Full Amount For '43 Potpourri

Potpourri officials announced this week that all students who do not plan to be enrolled here during the spring semester should pay their \$2.00 dues for their 1943 Potpourri before they leave the campus. No copies will be ordered for those students who have not paid the full \$4.00 fee, it was stated.

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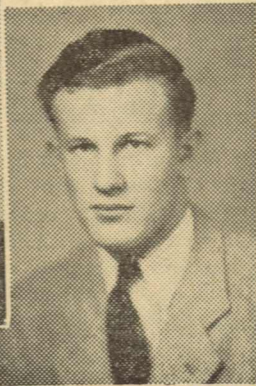
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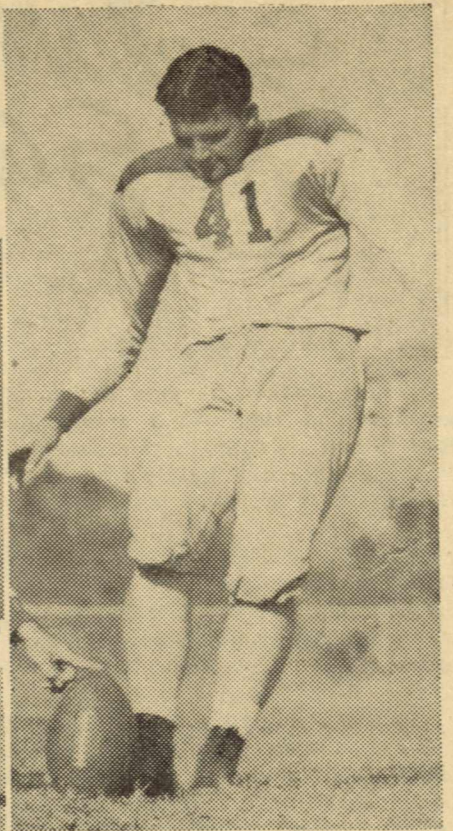
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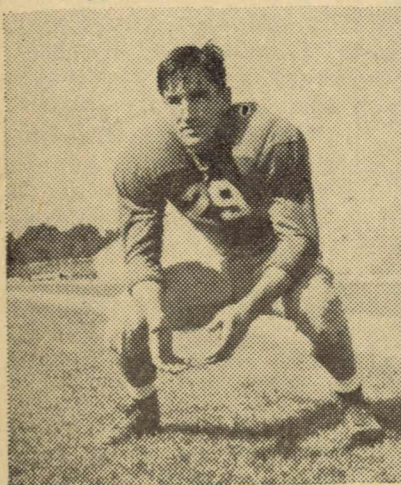
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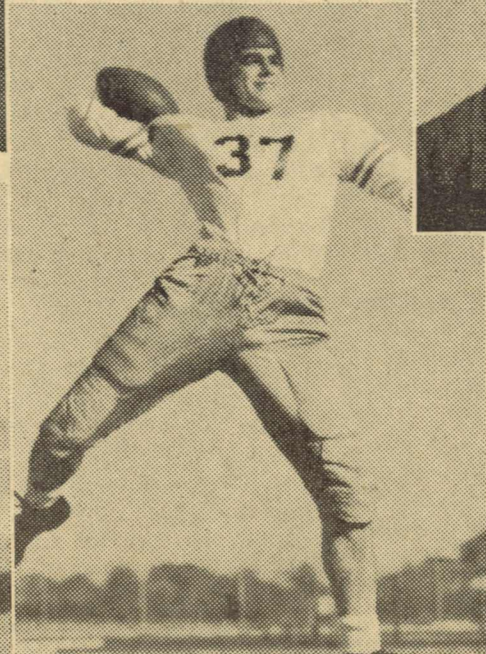
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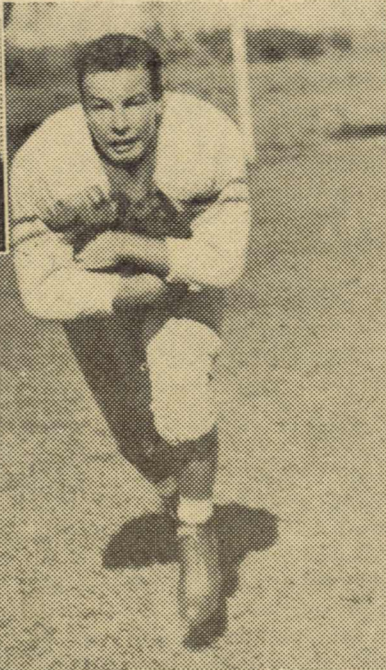
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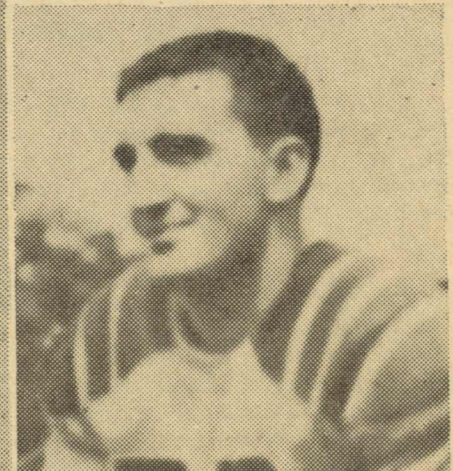
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STATE BOARD BANS INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORTS AT STATE COLLEGES FOR DURATION OF WAR

Cagers May Play Loyola, Soldiers Next Semester

The State Board of Education ruled this week that intercollegiate athletics must be abandoned for the duration of the war at the four state colleges, Normal, Tech, Southeastern and Southwestern. The action of the Board followed a request from the four colleges that such action be taken.

Coach H. Lee Prather, Director of Athletics and Demon basketball coach, stated this week that the local basketball season may continue an already streamlined cage season. Games have been scheduled with Loyola University at New Orleans. The State Board action permits the fulfillment of existing commitments if the contracts cannot

be broken.

Coach Prather also pointed out that the actions of the armed forces in calling reservists to active service may prohibit continuance of any games. The Board's action does not prohibit athletic contests with service teams on the local hardwood but the anticipated calling of Army Reservists to active duty early next semester may so reduce the squad that the game will be abandoned altogether.

The ban on intercollegiate athletics officially eliminated the possibility of any athletic contests or championships in the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference. The L. I. C. had already agreed that no conference race would be held in basketball. Two members of the conference, Centenary and Louisiana College, had already abandoned intercollegiate athletics.

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Cagers Win From Soldiers, 63-41

The Demon cagers rang up their second consecutive victory in an almost non-existent 1943 season here Saturday night when they defeated the 28th Infantry team from Camp Livingston, 63-41.

The loss was the first suffered by the army quintet this season. Boasting several former collegiate greats including Zeighorn, forward, a member of Notre Dame's varsity for two seasons and Novar, guard, a former N. Y. U. player, the Camp Livingston squad has defeated several college and army teams previously this year.

The Demon starters swept into a commanding lead at the very outset of the tilt and were never headed. Featuring a fast break that sent Ward, sophomore forward, under the unguarded soldier basket for several opening minute tallies, the Purple and White starters added to their margin of supremacy until the end of the first quarter when Coach H. Lee Prather sent a complete new team into the game.

The second half was close with the Demon substitutes playing the rallying soldiers on even terms.

With the starting lineup opening the second half, the Demons added to their lead but the army five began to rally in the fourth period against Normal substitutes and the starting quintet went back into the game in the last few minutes.

The locals were paced by Ward who tossed in seven field goals and three foul shots for a total of 17 points. Richie, so-

Three Demons Are Named All-L. I. C.; 11 Others Honored

Three local football players were named to the L. I. C. All-Star eleven named by conference coaches in mid-December. Five players from Louisiana Tech were also honored on the first team as were two members of the Southwestern team and a lone player from Southeastern.

Tommy Bambrick, junior full-back, Carlton Johnson, junior wingback, and Ernest "Stinky" Davis, sophomore guard, were the Normal players rating first-string positions.

Five other Demons won places on the second team named by conference officials. John "Cotton" Meagher was assigned the left end while Ed McDermott drew the other wing. Ralph McFarland got the left tackle slot and Bollier drew the assignment to the center post. One back, J. C. Carlin, quarterback, was named to the second string.

Six other Demons were given honorable mention in the rating. Kilpatrick, end, Bill Eason and Tripp, tackles, Burley, guard, and Benton and Scott, backs were among the 16 conference players given honorable mention.

The selections were made on the basis of teams submitted by the four L.I.C. coaches to Coach Harry Turpin of Normal, L.I.C. president. No coach was allowed to vote for his own players.

phomore center, followed closely with 15 points made in seven field goals and one charity toss. Perkins, sophomore forward, was third among Demon scorers with 12 points made in six field goals.

Zeighorn, forward, led the soldiers with 15 points on five field goals and five foul shots. Baker, army center, made 10 points.



Praise the Lord and pass the Spirits of Ammonia! **Gerry Manning** announced to friends in an around Monroe Christmas that she and **Ross Golson** are formally proclaiming their intentions to center-aisle it at the end of the present semester. That, in view of both their recent affairs of the heart, is scarcely less than revolutionary.

E. P. Dobson has managed to insert his petite little tootsies very firmly into his kisser. Just before the holidays Dobson decided to double-up on his woo-pitchnig before retiring to Chestnut for a womanless Christmas. Accordingly, he arranged for two dates on the same night. He took **Evelyn Horn** to the Christmas pageant and was to meet **Betty Bell** at nine o'clock—when Horn supposedly had to be in the dormitory. All would have gone well had not Horn discovered that the choir was going carolling after the pageant. So she took E. P. off for a few fast choruses of "Adeste Fidelis" while la Bell cooled her heels. One chorus led to another, and by the time the group got around to "Silent Night", Dobson was twitching like one possessed of Satan. Finally he kept his rendezvous with Queenie Bell and was dispatched—with a well-chosen assortment of words—to his own little bunk in Corley Castle.

The invasion of the Naval cadets is apt to fracture more than one amorous joint on the campus but first warnings have come from **Judy Edwards** and **Ralph Hudson**. Edwards has announced her desire—nay, intention—of dating one of the newcomers and Ralph is telling his pals that if she does all will be off.

Absent-Minded Professor Department

Two profs have turned in choice performances in the past few weeks. First, there is **Charles Cunningham**. We have often wondered why he is invariably described as "dashing". Now we know. The other day he was resting at home when the 'phone rang and his yard-man answered. He subsequently reported to the verb-monger, "Mr. Charles, a lady wants to talk to you." Leaping from his bed, Cunningham hurried to his front door and saw a lady walking along the sidewalk in front of his house. Thinking this to be his caller, he "dashed" after her, calling out that she need not leave as he was ready and willing to lend her his ears—which organs should be burning by now. Mean-

while, his caller held the line.

Then, secondly, there is **Lorane Brittain**. During the holidays he was rehearsing a program at a local church. When the rehearsal was finished **Prof. Gilbert Saetre** offered to drive him home. This truly delighted our hero as gas rationing had been giving him the hot-foot almost every day. His benefactor delivered him at his door-step and departed, leaving him first pleased, then humiliated and angry. He had forgotten that his own car was parked at the church whence he had just come!

'Tis well known that, "when the cat's away, the mice will play". Now this isn't exactly our way of calling **H. B. Burley** a mouse and we most assuredly don't consider **Matsye Mae Austin** a cat, but, well here's the story: Matsye left for her Texas home one noon just before the holidays. That night Burley was undoubtedly lonesome and, we thought, was going out with some of the boys. We wondered, though, just which of the "boys" he was out with when we met him about nine p. m. with his round face smeared with lipstick! As we said, Matsye's no cat but we'll bet that the fur will fly about this one.

Swing Kings—

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got tired of feeding nickles into the juke box and the college officials decided to do something about it. Their idea of Doing Something About It led to the organization of the original Swing Kings. It's in the books that a guy named E. L. Cross waved the baton that started the first official Swing King number a-rolling. In 1940 the Kings merged with the "Hill-Billy Band." We can recall that the hill billys were strictly in need of some merging. Freddy Moore plastered the two together and the Swing Kings were in supreme possession of the field.

The story from then to now is purely one of changes in personnel and improvement in repertoire. At present the band is led by **Crowell Eddy** but if this issue happens to be a little bit late, it may not be.

The line-up right now reads from end to end:

John "Bully" Howell—a drummer from a vacant lot in Shreve-

port. Bully is a second semester junior and a bona fide ERC.

Doris Claire Leone—pianist from Zwolle. She's something in the way of a composer, a second semester soph, and a bona fide cadet-collector.

Willard Hellenhead—bass slapper. He hails from Homer and is a bona fide, unadulterated and almost-unbelievable "4-F".

Russell Cronin—slides a trombone. Has pink hair and is from Leesville, which is just about as had as having even, well maybe purple hair. He graduates next week.

Crowell Carrier Eddy—leader and first trumpet man. He goes with **Julienne David** and graduates. The two are not related—graduation and David, we mean.

Lester Cifreo—another trumpet-er. He's draft-bound. He also just rolled **Lee Prather** for Marilyn Calendar.

Sammy Griffin—tenor sax. The Army Air Corps has him. Aside from that, he has nothing to recommend him.

Charles Raggio—Alto sax from Natchitoches. He's "4-F", has a

President's Dance, March of Dimes Planned for 25th

Swing Kings To Play for Last Time at Charity Affair

Plans were made on the campus this week for the holding of the annual celebration of President Roosevelt's birthday, proceeds of which are used to combat infantile paralysis.

The Newman Club, Catholic student organization, accepted an invitation to sponsor the dance for this worthy cause instead of holding its annual spring dance. Another campus club will probably sponsor the March of Dimes, which is scheduled for Monday, Jan. 25, registration day. The dance is also scheduled for Jan. 25 in the Student Center, with the Swing Kings, campus dance band, making its last local appearance. Some of the band are staying over a few days to play.

nice grin, and is doing his darndest to keep in tune with **Polly Holland**.

Elliott Ginsburg—Alto sax. He's ERC, from Vivian, and—well, just look at his picture.

Milt Chapman—Tenor sax from Shreveport. He looks like Shirdharani did before local critics got through with him and **Mary Lester** thinks he looks like Gable. He's leaving school in anticipation of the draft.

That's all there is to say except that when they finally push the piano behind **Elmer**, the potted plant, and stuff **Holly's** bass fiddle under the bed, we'll be sorry to see them go.

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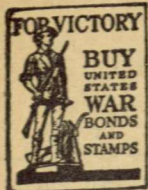
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Annual Birthday Dance Tonight

18 Complete Work At Semester's End

The names of thirty-six students completing their college work at the end of the fall semester, 1942, were released last week by the office of W. S. Mitchell, college registrar. Candidates for the A. B. degree are: Phoebe Elise Bowman, Mrs. Katherine McKiethen, Dorothy Lillian Elston, Charles T. Hall, Elizabeth Lee Harless, Will Harvey Laing, Virginia Beatrice McCrea, Helen Knex Riddle, Patricia Marion Sibley, Nina Belle Small, Adelaide Conley Smith, Anita M. Smith, Geraldine Taylor, and Marion O. Thiac.

Candidates for the B. S. degree are: Johnnie P. Austin, Verna Lou Barnes, Florence Blake, Betty Jo Ann Cavender, Russell Winfred Cronin, Jr., Mrs. Sadie Maggio Dark, Crowell Carrier Eddy, Max English, Beatrice S. Fletcher, Virginia Dale Harlan, Adeline Katherine Hyams, Thelma Kennedy, Elise Anne Mayeaux, Corinne Mondello, Mrs. Alys Tilbury Piland, Dorothy Lee Roach, Glenn Claire Sorbet, Waddy Land Thomley, Era Lucille Tison, Martin Luther Wallace, and Lina Mardis Warren.

National Religious Authority to Spend Week Here

"Send me fifty 'Dead Men' immediately," was the wire which Dr. Harry Rimmer sent to his secretary. The operator, thinking something was wrong with either the wire or with him questioned him about it. He calmly told her that "Dead Men Tell Tales" was the name of his book which he would need to sell while on the trip west.

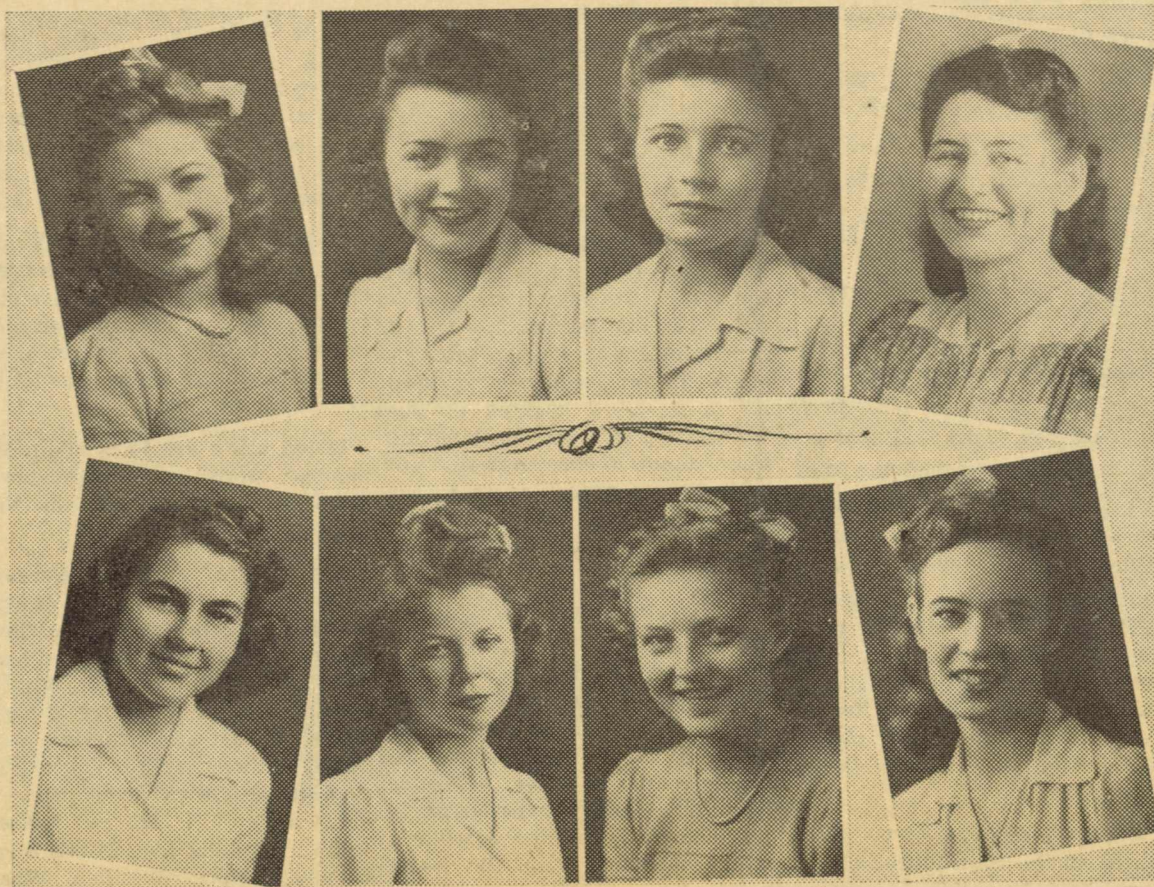
Dr. Rimmer is from New York City but has been working on the west coast with the "bluejackets" and other men in service. He is an authority on the subject of religion and science, having doctor's degrees in philosophy, law, divinity and medicine. His wit and style are unusually fine in commanding and holding the attention of his listeners. He is author of more than a dozen well-known books, former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Duluth, Minnesota, and a very popular speaker for conventions, assemblies, and encampments throughout the United States.

He will speak each day in the Religious Center and each evening at the First Baptist Church during the week of February 21-28. He has also been booked for many other special meetings in the city and on the campus.

SIGMA TAU GAMMA INITIATES SEVEN

Nu chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma, national social-education fraternity initiated seven men into the fraternity on Sunday, January 17. Those initiated were: Bobby Ruston, C. G. Snoddy, Curtis Guillet, Nathan Durham, Howard Young, Lester Cifreo, and Ralph Ward.

Sponsors for Tonight's Dance



These eight coeds will be sponsors at tonight's celebration of President Roosevelt's Birthday, proceeds of which are used to combat the ravages of infantile paralysis. They are, top row, left to right: Vera Fay Parker, Martile Robinson, Betty Reynolds, Geraldine Manning. Bottom row, left to right: Doris LeBlanc, Peggy Farrar, Julianne David, and Gloria Coffman.

MERRY MIX-UP IN STUDENT CENTER HERE REPLACES USUAL FORMAL BALL

An unavoidable last minute change in plans, according to the committee in charge, has made it necessary to make the dance tonight in celebration of President Roosevelt's birthday a Merry Mix-Up instead of the formal ball originally planned. This dance will be the last at which the Swing Kings will play, as they are disbanding. The dance will begin at 8:30 and last until 11:45 p. m.

Seven of the eight coeds named as sponsors of the celebration, an annual affair given as a part of the Anti-Infantile Paralysis Campaign, will be presented as originally scheduled. They are:

Betty Coffman, representing the sophomore dormitory; Julianne David, from West Varnado; Peggy Farrar, representative of Natchitoches girls (Miss Farrar underwent an operation last Thursday and will not be present); Doris LeBlanc, from the students boarding in town; Geraldine Manning, from East Varnado; Vera Fay Parker, from the Co-operative Dormitory; Betty Reynolds, from the freshman dormitory; and Martile Robinson, from the junior dormitory. They were selected by a faculty committee.

The March of Dimes will be carried on all day by the Wesley Foundation, campus religious organization, at a desk outside the Treasurer's office in Caldwell Hall.

The dance is sponsored by the Newman Club, another religious organization, which gave up its annual spring dance to sponsor this worthwhile cause. Admission is 25c a person. Professor Eugene Watson is sponsor of the club. President Joe Farrar is campus chairman of the campaign.

NOTICE

Anyone leaving school and planning on getting a Potpourri should come by the Potpourri office and place their order before the end of this week.

Thirteen Bodies in a Brooklyn Cellar or Two Old Ladies And a Bottle of Wine

"Arsenic and Old Lace" Here Saturday Night

"Arsenic and Old Lace", a three-act comedy by Joseph Kesselring, will be presented in the Normal auditorium Saturday, January 30, at 8:00 p. m., it was announced this week by the Davis Players, campus dramatic organization. This will be the Davis Players' second major production of the current season.

The story of "Arsenic and Old Lace" has to do with the eccentric Brewster family, which is composed of: two smart but mentally unbalanced maiden aunts, who decide to devote their lives to helping lonely old men escape from life by giving each of them a glass of specially prepared wine; one nephew, who thinks he is Teddy Roosevelt; another nephew who resembles Boris Karloff, in both appearance and actions; and a third nephew, a drama critic, the only sane member of the family.

An insane doctor, adept at lifting faces, a minister and his daughter, four policemen, and a superintendent of a insane asylum all become involved in the ever-thickening plot.

"Arsenic and Old Lace" has played successfully on Broadway since August, 1941, and only recently have the producers given it the strictest releases for amateur production. The Davis Players were granted one of the first three such releases in the United States.

The set for Saturday's performance was designed and constructed by the Camp Livingston Theater group, among whose members are several former Broadway technicians. Members of the cast are:

Abby Brewster, Maxine Bell; Martha Brewster, Lillian Bell; Teddy Brewster, Dennon Holmes; Mortimer Brewster, Tommy Thompson; Jonathon Brewster,

Davis to Leave For Army Soon

Dwight G. Davis, college band director and professor of music, is taking leave of the campus on or about February 3, to enter the armed services, after three most successful years here. Three early tries at voluntary enlistment met with no success for Davis, because of a fractured arm sustained in early youth, but he recently received his notification to report on January 27 for a physical examination, and it is expected that induction into the United States Army will follow almost immediately.

Davis came to Normal in 1940, after four years at Byrd High School, in Shreveport. His first duties on the campus here involved work with the Natchitoches High School band and instructing music classes at the college, and after mid-semester of that year he assumed the directorship of the college band.

After receiving his bachelor's degree at Kansas State Teachers' college, in Pittsburg, Davis did graduate work at Louisiana State University, at the National Music Camp at Interlochen, Michigan, and at the American Conservatory in Chicago. In 1941 he completed work on his master's degree at the University of Michigan.



Davis took on additional duties this year, serving as proctor of Caspari Hall. Having been granted a leave of absence from the college faculty, he expects to return to his position here as soon as his duties in the armed forces are discharged.

"I have enjoyed my associations on the Normal campus very much, and I shall be looking forward to resuming them again in the future," Davis said here this week.

James Craton; Dr. Einstein, Roger Sherman; The Rev. Dr. Harper, Jimmy Lout; Elaine Harper, Virginia Lea Marmande; Mr. Gibbs, A. C. Willis; Officer Brophy, Garlington Feazell; Officer O'Hara, C. G. Snoddy; Lieut. Ronney, Jack Thompson; Mr. Witherspoon, Vernon Warren.

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Students Must Have Photos Made Today

W. S. Mitchell, college registrar, announced last week that all students who do not have an identification photo on file in the registrar's office must have a picture made today during registration. Pictures are being made, free of charge, in the room occupied by the checking committee in Caldwell Hall.

The following is a list of students whose pictures are not on record:

Hazel Adkins, William D. Adkins, Jr., Annette Alderman, Gloria Marie Alford, Norma Ruth Allred, Paul H. Anderson, Clyde Andrews, William Edward Arie, Rosalind Adkins, Wyatt Atkins, Velma Lydia Avant, Allie Lee Aycock, Ahirley Mae Babin, William Armistead Baines, Evelyn Baird, Gabriel J. Barkate, Mrs. W. E. Barnhill, Marjorie Barre, James Basco, Juanita Bass, Mrs. Effie Holt Beck, Mrs. Etta Lenora Beeler, Thelma Berry, L. A. Bodie, Sybil Worth Bogan, Gloria Bond, Elma Exa Boone, Hazel Bounds, Benjamin Franklin Bradford.

Mildred Alice Bradley, Sue Bradley, Mary Frances Bright, George Clifton Briley, Etta Broadway, Leola Broadway, Billy Byrl Brown, Sarah Elizabeth Brown, Jesolyn Bumgardner, Juanita Mae Burnett, Sarah Burnham, Lois Butler, Frances Byers, Marilyn Callender, George Calliham, Marcelle Carpenter, Joseph F. Cavanaugh, Mrs. M. T. Cheves, Mrs. C. V. Cocke, Mrs. Harold Collier,
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ATTENTION!

All Clubs, Fraternities, Sororities, Religious Organizations, Dormitories, and other groups large and small.

All social functions, including teas, open houses, and parties of any kind, must be scheduled in the Office of Student Welfare as early in advance as possible. This is necessary in order to avoid conflicts and duplications in social affairs.

The Office of Student Welfare has as one of its chief functions the scheduling of social events of any nature. It is impossible to carry this on in an effective way unless everyone cooperates to the fullest extent by clearing the date well in advance of the desired time for the affair.

Unless your event is scheduled on the Social Calendar, it will not be recognized as an official college affair and will not have the approval of the college administration. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

Andrew W. Hunt,
Director of Student Welfare

B.S.U. Holds Play Party, Open House

Mrs. Edith Barclay, who chaperoned the B. S. U. play party last Saturday night said that she was not sure who had the most fun—the students and cadets or she. A hundred or more students gathered at the Women's Gym and found hilarious outlets for their pent up energies in ping-pong, shuffle board, darts, rings, Chinese checkers, and pick-up sticks and took out time for ice cream, sandwiches, and chunks garnished with a liberal serving of laughter.

As a week-end climax, the group retired to the Baptist Church for a welcome — we're glad you're here open house! The program for the occasion was beautifully arranged and was a great success, Miss Josephine Harris, sponsor of the Baptist Student Union Group said.

The program was begun with beautiful instrumental music by Doris Ford, followed by several vocal selections: a trio by Edith Kuhn, Marjorie Hollis, and Mary Ellen Caldwell; a solo sung by Flo Scarborough; and a solo by Edith Kuhn. A flute duet was rendered by Elaine and Kathleen Killen and cornet soloist Crowell Eddy followed with three numbers accompanied by Doris Leone, who then sang an original vocal solo, accompanying herself. James Bailey and Edith Kuhn concluded the musical unit of the program with a duet.

A stunt "Lover's Errand" was successfully effected by Gwendolyn Sylvest and Cecil Owens after which definitely Southern refreshments of coffee and tea with patriotic red, white, and blue mints supplemented by delicious sandwiches topped off a delightful and successful welcome to the Cadets from the B. S. U.

Social Calendar

Monday, Jan. 25-Saturday, Jan. 30

Monday, January 25

Registration, 9:00 a. m.
Student Center: President's Birthday Dance, Informal, "Merry Mix-Up", 8:30-11:45 p. m.

Tuesday, January 26

Classes begin 8:00 a. m.
B.S.U. Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p. m.

Wednesday, January 27

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p. m.

Saturday, January 30

"Arsenic and Old Lace", Normal Auditorium, 8:00 p.m.

Dog Rufus Takes To His Pen Again

By DOG RUFUS

Once again the "old dog" makes another fling at his unpromising journalistic career. The semester has come and gone with the few and far between A's and the many and not far between F's, which are sending you fine people home to a hectic day off. Then back to school a few of us will come with promises of better grades and less play even with the new members of the stronger sex, (and sometimes I wonder just which is the stronger sex) on our campus. And what new life these new wonders have brought to this campus, the first boy's tag since old Rufus made his meager appearance on the hill in the year '41. Back to the dance, it seems to have been the best of the current social season (of course Normal has such a wonderful season with all the people of the far North coming down for it, or am I barking up the wrong tree) with the coeds having worn themselves completely out to round up a date so that they could wear that new dress that they had been saving up to wear for ages.

The next event on the book (in Dr. Hunt's office by the way) is the annual President's ball set for Monday night. As to the time it is said that the plan is to be formal boy's tag but our doubt as well as others is that in order to be able to make a worthy contribution to this charity it may have to be a merry mix up. With the usual maids but no queen (what no queen?) the dance is expected to give the Swing Kings a big farewell as it is to be the last of their presentations with the same old gang on hand. In my own little thoughts the Swing Kings have never been given the credit that was due them and here will be a good time to show it and help a worthy cause. Dog Rufus has a last thought to leave with you, if you boys are planning to give your date flowers, don't—just give her war stamps—they look just as pretty.

Home Ec Majors Show Latest Styles In Fashion Show

The outlook is blue in the realm of style, for this year; that is the impression our horoscope, read from the outstanding Home Economics stars, gave in the Home Economics Department.

Prospective stylists, homemakers, etc., who are among us as Home Economics majors, this week modeled coats, suits, school and street dresses, and evening gowns. Guests at the review, including Dr. Pittman and Mr. Nelson, have a good idea what the well-dressed coed will be wearing for the next few months.

Some outstanding highlights of the show were a black rayon street dress with pink lace trim created and modeled by Ruby Rawls, a blue taffeta gown made by Frances Drake, Verna Lou Barnes in a blue suit, and Florence McCrea in an imported tweed of her own making, and Sadie Grezaffi, Mary Jean Swift, and Verna Lou Barnes in evening gowns of that All-American victory fabric cotton.

The attractive but economical styles were built in very simple lines and incorporated two features of the season's style forecast: shades of blue and fashion dominance in cotton and rayon.

Freshman Class Makes Study Of Slang Words on Campus

By Annette Alderman and Carolyn Russell

Last week a freshman English class made a survey of slang words and expressions used on the campus. These freshmen found the student body is not lacking in its ability not only to use peculiar expressions so typical of the modern youth of today, but to coin and originate many slang expressions of its own.

More than 200 words were turned in, but the compilers of this story have attempted to give only a few of the most popular ones so that all might see just what type language students use informally.

It is believed that the usage of such slang is being discouraged more and more by the faculty members who are doing their utmost to better the vocabularies of students and their knowledge of correct English.

Listed below are 70 of the most popular words and expressions discovered in daily use on the campus:

Aw you're chicken, Corney, Wait class, How 'bout that?, Lookit that job, Are you kiddin', I've got the reds (blues), Oh you doing, My cow, Hot dog, What's cooking, I'm in a well of a hess, Hot stuff, And that's the last got-jigged straw.

Greetings Gates, Some jazz, eh kid?, Zoot suit, Hi ya fellows (guys), Jumping five, That's a lot of bull (bunk), Cussijed, What blasuey (hooey), Gee, I'm in a jam, Green dogs, I'm just tickled pink, Cheez—what a droopy jerk, She jes ate me out, He's a killeroo, Lookit that ole beat up bag, Gimme my lid, Step on it, boy, That's a catty slaint, Lying up a storm, Now you're cooking with gas, Honky tonk (pint) (dump) (hole), Quit racing your motor, That's strictly okay, You're the sharp ones, Aw kid, quit pulling his leg, He sure blew his top, I'll rack that test up, That don't cut no ice, Mooch me a weed (coffin vail), She would squeal (squeak), You sucker, In the groove, Get out and walk, What swell grub (eats), Mercy, Hot rock, Goon. Isky, Ole the bech you preach, Skip that deal, Slightly off the beam, Whatcha know, Joe?, Whatchamadoodle, Do tell, Neck-smooth-court, Step on it, babe, What junk, That ole wet blanket, Hitched—tied up, She's an ole battle ax (fossil), Give 'em the cold shoulder, He got his ears lowered, Heavy date.

Baptist Student Union

Students are asked to attend and participate in the Chapel period, 12:35 to 1:00 each day except Sunday, in the Religious Center. The week beginning February 1, there will be a series of panel discussions on Vocational Emphasis embracing the subjects of "Choice", "Guidance", "Values" and "Home." Every student will be allowed to participate in each of these discussions.

Books and Stuff

A few books found on the new book shelf in the library:

Sinclair. *The Port of New Orleans.* (Brilliant biography of a fabulous city—entertaining and accurate.)

Poliakov. *Russian Don't Surrender.* (a war diary.)

McKenney. *My Sister Eileen.* (The novel that the movie was based on.)

Habas. *The Art of Self-Control.* (How to make habits work for you.)

Lane. *Let the Hurricane Roar.* (A novel.)

Brooks. *When Labor Organizes.* (The labor movement in an evolving society.)

Balderston. *Housewifery.* (Housewifery as a business.)

The American Idea. (The spirit of American government, science, art, literature, democracy, religion, philosophy.)

Guyton. *Air Base.* (Factual, but romantic report of lives of navy fliers.)

The Aircraft Yearbook. The official record and reference work on American Aviation.)

Karl Marx. *Capital.* (The world-famous critical analysis of capitalistic production.)

Pierce. *The Young Hostess.* (The ABC's of successful entertaining.)

The Education of Free Men in American Democracy. (Government, teacher, and people.)

Mulac. *The Playleader's Manual.* (Activities of all kinds.)

A Conrad Argosy. (Fourteen of Conrad's great stories of the sea.)

Hadida. *Manners for Millions.* (A correct code of pleasing personal habits for everyday men and women.)

McDonald. *Youth Must Fly.* (The story of gliders.)

Hepner. *Psychology Applied to Life and Work.* (Personality development; influencing of behavior of others.)

Boylston. *Sue Barton; Student Nurse.* (Interesting, exciting, reliable.)

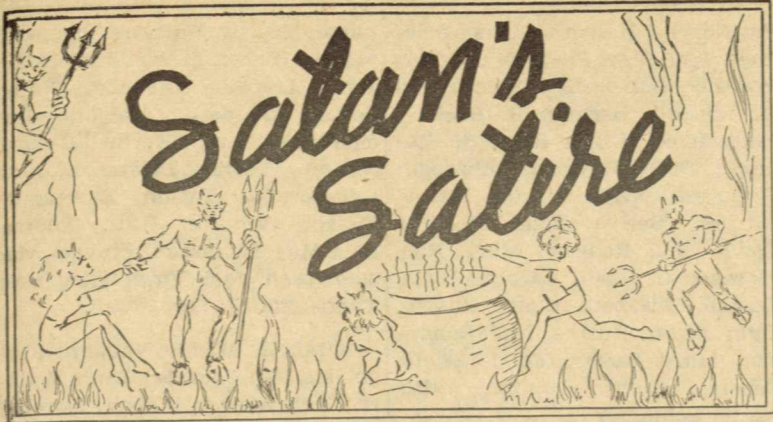
Gray. *The Fair Adventure.* (A novel.)

NOTICE

Anyone wishing to order reprints of the class pictures may do so during this week by coming by the Potpourri office this week. Those wishing to see their pictures may do so by coming to the Potpourri office on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons of this week. The pictures will be shown only at these times. This step had to be taken because a great many people would not cooperate and forget to return their and other picture.

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The Modern Trend: (or is it?) Anyone eavesdropping (and someone was!) behind a certain couple strolling toward Varnado the other night might have overheard the following bit of dialogue:

She (a coed): "You'd better wipe your lipstick off".
He (a service-man): "Okeh".
She: "By the way, what did you say your name is?"

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And so another Phi Mu Alpha pin has gone the way of all Phi Mu Alpha pins. This time it's not so surprising, since the couple involved have been steadying it for some time now. But here's hoping the little transaction doesn't prove a jinx for Jack Thompson and Betty Reynolds. Those Phi Mu Alpha emblems have a sad way of going back to their owners all too soon.

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Charles Roberts is on the old "ah-mour, ah-mour" kick again, having succumbed to the charms of Binky Leete. Maybe it will work out alright, if some kind officer will just cancel a few week-end liberties.

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Sometimes it seems that the fates are inordinately cruel, especially when they see fit to pick on one lone little freshman lad, Jimmy Lout—affectionately known as "Twee-tie Mae". It wasn't enough that final exams should descend upon young Lout in all their fury, but in the very same week his heart's desire, Annie Sue Miller, decided to "break the whole thing off." It was by mutual understanding, Lout said, but his woe-begone expression as he gazed at the bracelet and ring he had just retrieved belied his avowed disinterest.

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And of course there are always triangles. This week's triangle is of the ordinary type but it concerns one or two fairly interesting people. First, there is Mildred Courtney who has set a couple of hearts to fluttering. This puts Courtney in a rather unique position, she having just abandoned a triangle in which she and Mary K. Griffin and Bully Howell were concerned. There was a telephone operator from Texarkana mixed up in that one, too—but that's another story. Then there's Sammy Griffin whose musical career introduced him to Courtney in the first place. Sammy has been carrying a torch (in a non-chalant sort of way) for some time now. Then there is Elmo Curly Joe 1890-Picture-Frame Hill. Curly Hill, who never got any closer to music than a bugle in a boy scout camp, it's making Sammy get up and go to hold the attention of Courtney.

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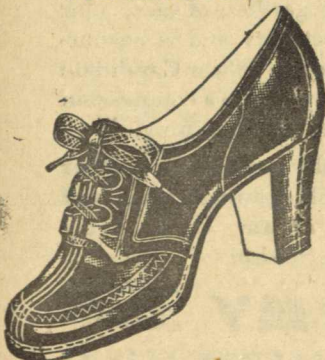
Nathan "Dog" Durham has been having trouble with his women. First, there was one named Williams who occupied his time and attention. Then along came competition and Durham was out in the cold. Looking around, Nathan got enamoured of Alta Lewis but he confessed to associates Friday night that, after two dates, he don't think he's getting very far.

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O.K., so there isn't much here this week. We're not feeling a bit apologetic, though, because nobody ever tells us anything. You needn't tell us about the jams you're in—leave that to your friends—but you could drop us a hint or two about anyone, and everyone, else. Just tell anyone who hangs around the south wing of Fine Arts and we'll hear it.

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Our Fading Accent

By EDITH WEBER

The State Normal melting pot is not refining our Southern dialect by any means; the Speech Department will vouch for that.

The new local boys from Minnesota, New York, Texas, and Virginia parachuted down to our land of sugar cane and paused mid-air to marvel at the quaintness of Southern belles and the "water" in their too-easy flowing speech. The coeds welcomed them as first-aidees in an emergency, but they have begun to wonder if too many splints and bandages are not being used by the chairtable sojourners.

It's not a "know" any longer; it's a "can"—and maybe that's the reason Bossy is on strike. There's getting to be too much "bean" in "been", and students in Dr. Hussey's classes who once referred to fowls as "birds" now call them "beards."

Revolution is inevitable. No one would dispute that when he sees how the intruders are tucking those "r's" back in our satisfactory language—those "r's" we dispensed with a long time ago. If we are not careful, our comfortable Southern "taowns" will all become "towns."

Three Added to Faculty And Staff for New Term

Three new members have been added to the faculty and staff of the college for the new semester, replacing George L. Parks, who is instructing Navy Cadets; Miss Margaret Hicks, who is leaving to be married; and Miss Laura Jones, who is now librarian at an army camp in Mississippi.

Charles Hall, and Winifred Hilliard, recent graduates, are taking Mr. Parks' and Miss Hicks' positions. Mrs. Maud Clay will arrive within ten days to take Miss Jones' place as cataloger in the library. She comes from a library in Missouri.

PHI MU ALPHA HOLDS INITIATION

Gamma Rho chapter of Phi Mu Alpha, national music fraternity, initiated eleven members into the fraternity last Wednesday night. Those initiated were: John Parks, Clyde Bostick, Taylor Finlay, James Lout, James Smith, Kerlin Sutton, Herman Gauthier, Ben Bradford, Bailey Winderweedle, John Thompson, and Gilbert Sae-tre.

REGISTRANTS MUST CARRY DRAFT CARDS

All men in the State of Louisiana between the ages of 18 and 38, who have been subject to Selective Service registration for as long as six months and who do not have their classification cards, were advised this week by Brigadier General Raymond H. Fleming, State Director of Selective Service, to communicate with their local boards at once. On and after February 1, the Director pointed out, any man in this age group who does not have in his personal possession his Classification Card (Form 57) as well as his Certificate of Registration is liable to fine or imprisonment, or both.

Campus Etiquette

(A Weekly Feature based on campus conditions)
Drinking fountains are reserved for drinking. Don't use them as waste baskets.

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Time: End of first semester.
Place: L. S. N. C.
Character: Me.

Act One

Scene 1:
Me: Shall I cheat on these tests?
Scene 2:
Me: I am uncertain. I will toss a penny. . . .
Scene 3:
Me: Huh! I have no penny. I will borrow one from teacher.

Act Two

Scene 1:
Me: I have cheated.
Scene 2:
Me: My conscience is hurting me!

Act Three

Scene 1:
Me: Now . . . my conscience is clear: I have given teacher back his penny.

(Curtain)

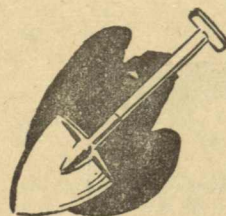
1943 Potpourri Making Progress; Beauties Ranked

Work on the 1943 Potpourri, campus yearbook, is progressing well, according to E. P. Dobson, editor. Varga, the famous artist of Esquire magazine, has ranked the ten beauties; and selection of the Senior Hall of Fame is now being made by a faculty committee.

"All students leaving school at mid-semester must pay the second semester's Potpourri fee before leaving, or no book will be ordered for them," said Don Mike Stothart, business manager.

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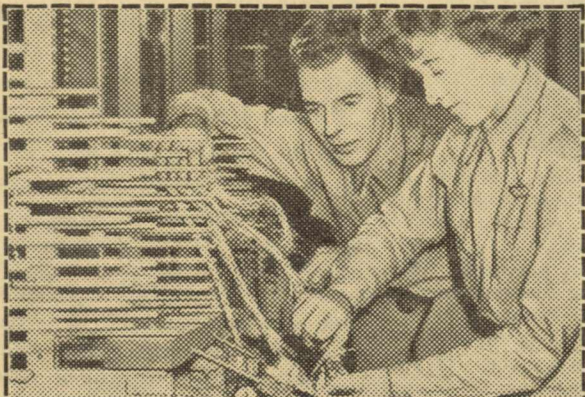
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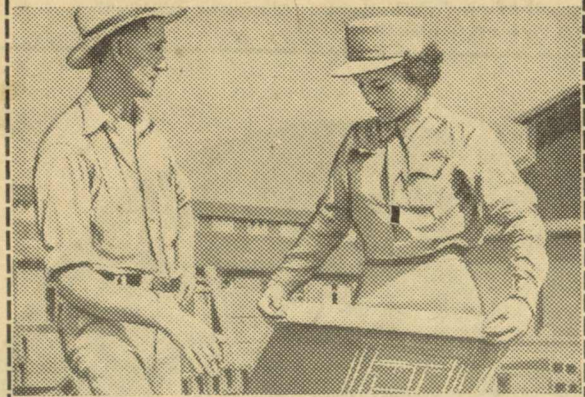
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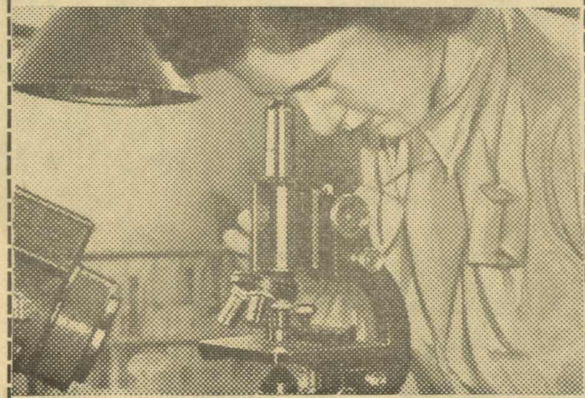
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Dr. Marvin S. Pittman Leaves Normal To Accept Presidency Of Georgia Teachers College

Dr. Marvin S. Pittman, director of instruction at the Normal College here for the past year, resigned his position this week and left to assume the presidency of the Georgia Teachers College at Statesboro, Ga., an institution he headed for seven years from 1934 to 1941.

Dr. Pittman was renamed president of the Georgia college last week as the result of reforms which have been effected in the restoration of the state's university system. All institutions in the Georgia university system expelled by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and other accrediting agencies a year ago were reinstated last week following the re-employment of Dr. Pittman.

Dr. and Mrs. Pittman were honored by the faculty, administrative staff, and students of the State Normal College and by local citizens at a reception in the drawing room of Varnado Hall Sunday afternoon from 4 o'clock to 5:30 o'clock.

The students of the college represented by C. M. McSwain, president of the student body, presented Dr. and Mrs. Pittman a handsome silver tray at the reception.

With Mrs. Iona Berry, dean of women, presiding as hostess of the occasion, a short program was presented on which Dr. John S. Kyser represented the faculty and President Joe Farrar spoke on behalf of the entire college. Gilbert T. Saetre played several violin solos, Walter Mason accompanying at the piano.

In a brief talk, Dr. Pittman outlined the work accomplished in his department during the last year and praised the faculty and administrative staff for the close co-operation given him in his duties as director of instruction. Dr. Pittman also spoke briefly to the faculty at the regular monthly meeting of the teaching staff of the college Monday afternoon in the elementary training school auditorium.

A native of Mississippi, Dr. Pittman came to Louisiana in 1905. For two years he served as teacher of mathematics at science at the Monroe City high school, and from 1907 to 1909 was parish superintendent of Madison Parish public schools.

From 1909 until 1912, Dr. Pittman was a member of the faculty of the Louisiana State Normal College here where he taught in the department of social science. He served as president of the Louisiana Teachers Association in 1912.

His other years of service in the field of education include six years as director of rural schools and institutes at Oregon Normal School, Monmouth, Ore., and 13 years as director of teacher training at Michigan State Normal College, Ypsilanti, Mich. He was first elected president of the Georgia Teachers College in 1934.

Dr. Pittman holds the A. B. degree from Millsaps College, the M. A. from the University of Oregon, and the Ph.D. degree from Columbia. He served as special adviser for the depart-

Registration Mounts to 718 At Normal

Registration figures for the spring semester at the Louisiana State Normal College here mounted to 718 regularly enrolled students early this week. With the present enrollment of 250 cadets in the Navy Flight Preparatory School here and other contingents expected to arrive this week and early next month, the enrollment in all departments of the college is expected to top the 1350 mark to give the state college here its largest wartime registration.

Twenty-eight full-time faculty members will be required to instruct the cadets when the full quota of navy students arrive in March, officials stated. In addition to 17 members of the faculty selected to teach the cadets in various subjects, 11 extra teachers will be employed, it was announced.

Subjects being taught the navy cadets include navigation, mathematics, physics, aerology, principles of flight, aircraft engines and communications. H. Lee Prather has been named by President Joe Farrar as faculty co-ordinator of the navy school here.

In addition to the 37 seniors who completed their courses at the college at the termination of last semester, officials pointed out this week that many other students of junior and senior standing have left the campus to accept positions in the public schools of the state or in defense jobs. Scores of men students have also left to join the armed forces.

ment of education, Republic of Mexico, in 1929; and in 1932 made a special study of the schools in Cuba and reported his findings to the department

Dr. Pittman is the author of several textbooks and is a popular speaker on educational subjects. His publications include "Value of Schools Supervision", "How To Teach Spelling", "Successful Teaching in Rural Schools," and "Profitable Farming."

"My work at the State Normal College during the last year has been the most delightful of my whole career, and I feel that I will be a better college president because of the many contacts I have made among the faculty and administrative staff members of the college," Dr. Pittman stated this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Pittman left the campus early Wednesday morning. They will stop over in Atlanta, Ga., before going to Statesboro. Dr. Pittman's term as president of the Georgia Teachers College started on Feb. 1.



MISS EUNYE REGISTER
young dramatic soprano of Shreveport who will be presented in concert here Saturday, February 6, in the Little Theatre on the Normal campus at 7:30 by the Music Department.

Young Shreveport Soprano Will Sing Here Tonight

Public Invited To Attend Concert In Little Theatre at 7:30

Eunye Register, young dramatic soprano of Shreveport, will be sponsored in a public concert here at the Little Theatre tonight, February 6, at 7:30 p. m. by the Music Department of the Normal. Her accompanist will be Arthur King, organist at the First Baptist Church of Shreveport, who is well known in North Louisiana musical circles.

Miss Register has given many successful recitals in Shreveport and has appeared with the Shreveport Highland Baptist Church Choir as soloist in Handel's "Messiah." She will carry a major role—that of Santuzza—in Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana", soon to be presented in Shreveport.

Miss Register plans to go to New York soon to seek a career in her chosen profession, specializing in Lieder and Wagnerian opera.

The general public and the Normal student body are cordially invited to attend; there is no charge for admission.

The program for the evening follows:
"Vergin Tutto Amor"—Durante
"Die Mainacht"—Brahms
"In the Silence of Night"—Rachmaninoff
"The Hills of Gruzia"—Medin-koff

"Romance"—Debussy
"Why?"—Tchaikowsky
Miss Register
"Nocturne," Op. 15 No. 2—Chopin

"Scherzo," Op. 31 No. 3—Chopin
Mr. King
"Liebestod," from "Tristan Und Isolde"—Wagner
"Morning Hymn"—Henschel
"The Sleep that Flits on Baby's Eyes"—Carpenter
"A Spirit Flower"—Tipton
"Giannina Mia"—Friml
Miss Register

"Arsenic and Old Lace" To Be Presented Again Sunday

137 Normal Students Make Dean's List

One hundred and thirty-seven students of the Normal were named to the Dean's List this week, having made an average of "B" or better for the first semester, according to Dr. Andrew Hunt, director of Student Welfare. The list follows:

"A" Average

Fletcher, Beatrice S.; Pace, Julia; Pullig, Ruth; Scott, Katherine M.; Shively, Janet B.; Turner, Ruth; de la Barre, Carmen.

"B" Average

Aaron, Marjorie; Addison, Eileen; Adkins, William Doss, Jr.; Angle, Mary Joy; Austin, Johnnie P.; Aycock, Allie Lee; Backes, Shirley; Ballard, Polly; Barnes, Frances; Bond, Gloria; Bradford, Ben F.; Bradley, Mildred Alice; Bradley, Sue; Brice, Mrs. Geraldine F.; Briley, George; Burford, Evelyn D.; Bush, Ann; Cade, Mavis Lelia; Caldwell, Mary Ellen; Clay, Juanita Helen; Clyde, Patricia Faye; Cobb, Charlene Cook; Coleman, Dorothy; Collier, Alice A.; Collier, Mrs. Harold; Cook, Virginia; Corne, Dorothy; Cronin, Russell W.; Crosby, Marie B.

Davis, Elizabeth Jane; Dexter, Katherine; Drake, Frances M.; Durden, Mary Evelyn; Earnest, Wanda Lee; Eddy, Crowell C.; Edgerton, Mary F.; Elliott, Mrs. Willie P.; England, Gaston M.; Ewing, Mariam M.; Ferguson, Alleyne; Ford, Doris; Fournet, Francis G. Jr.; Frye, Maxine; Frye, Novice O.; Gauthier, Herman J.; Garrett, Melba J.; George, Esther; Gibson, Madge; Graves, Barbara E.; Graves, Neva; Grezaffi, Sadie; Griffin, Sammy; Guillot, John; Hall, Charles; Haworth, Mary Jo; Hemphill, Leon; Henry, Betty Jean; Holcombe, Norma Ruth; Holland, Grace; Holland, Gertrude; Holland, Pauline; Holt, Emma Lee; Hopper, Betty Jane; Horton, Lola Pearl; Howell, John B.; Hubley, Winfred A.; Hussey, Roland Jr.

Johniken, Helen D.; Jones, Vera; King, Grace F.; Laing, Harvey; Langenstein, Rose E.; LeBlanc, Herlena M.; Lechner, Jacob; Lindsay, Marion; McCartney, Dwight R.; McLeod, Marjorie I.; McSwain, Cole M.; Mayeaux, Elise; Miller, Marie Ann; Monger, Ruth; Murphy, Martha; Myers, Margaret; Norris, Crockett; Perry, Dorothy F.; Piland, Alys; Prather, Henry Lee Jr.; Pratt, Lou May; Presley, Thelma A.; Prestidge, Mary Bess; Price, Geraldine; Quinn, Charlotte A.; Ragan, Ida Mary; Reynolds, Betty; Richmond, Eloise M.; Richmond, M. Eva; Rigaud, Earlie Mae; Rivet, Mary Joyce; Roach, Dorothy Lee; Rodgers, Carrie Nell; Rutledge, Evelyn M.; Rutledge, Evelyn B.

St. John, Gloria J.; Sandefer, Edith F.; Sanders, Mrs. Joe L.; Simmons, Nevah Jean; Slawson, Jimmie; Smith, Adelaide C.; Smith, Anita M.; Smith, James Harold; Snyder, Mrs. J. E.; Sorbet, Glenn; Stewart, Mack P. Jr.; Sudbury, John D.; Sylvest, Marie Gwendolyn; Tarver, Dixie; Thompson, Tommy; Toms, Virginia; Tooke, Janis Elaine; Tucker, R. Kemp; Tyler, Audrey; Vossburg, Jean; Warren, Dorothy; Weber, Edith; Westall, Mary Ann; Wheeler, Mrs. Troy; White, Carogene; Winderweede, Martin B.; Woods, I. Colleen; Worley, Norma.

"Arsenic and Old Lace", the rollicking farce presented last Saturday night at the Normal Auditorium by the Davis Players, will be re-presented there tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 p. m. so that many who missed it may have an opportunity to see it. Admission will be 25c, Federal tax included.

As given Saturday, the play was greeted with roars of laughter by a large audience, every member of which enjoyed it to the utmost. As the Brewster "girls," Lillian and Maxine Bell of Natchitoches were the foci of interest as they indulged in their favorite charity-slipping a slug of poisoned elderberry wine to poor, forlorn old men because it makes them look "so peaceful." Sharing the limelight with them was their "crazy" nephew (Dennan Holmes of Kilgore, Texas) who thinks he is Teddy Roosevelt.

Another nephew, Jonathan (James Craton of Minden) figures in the plot; a plastic surgeon has transformed his face so that he can escape from the police—but the surgeon had just seen Boris Karloff in a movie and made Jonathan look just like Karloff. The antics of this unusual family prove most interesting as the plot unfolds.

New Students Must Order Potpourris

Order Being Compiled This Week

Students who were not registered in the college last semester will not receive a 1943 Potpourri unless they pay the first semester's fee of \$2.00 immediately, according to Don Mike Stothart, Business Manager of the annual.

Work on determining how many copies of the annual will be printed is almost completed; no additional copies will be available. Editorial work on the yearbook will also be completed shortly.

Ten Local Boys Called To Active Duty With Army Air Forces Last Week

Ten local boys received their calls to active duty with the Army Air Forces during the past week. They are Lee Prather, Jr., Herman Holder, Norman Clyde Cox, Ray Hargis, Jimmy Boydston, John D. Gathright, Glen Morris, C. D. Adams, Ellis Wallenberg, and Tom Forte.

All had been waiting for the call for some time. All were ex-students except Prather who was to have graduated this semester.

Walt Disney's Fantasia May Be Presented on Campus Soon

Negotiations are under way between the Potpourri, student yearbook, and film bookers for a presentation of Walt Disney's "Fantasia," which has not been shown

in this section of Louisiana.

The plan, if effected, calls for a percentage of the profits to be given the Potpourri, which will promote the show. No final decision has been reached.

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Survey of Fall Semester Grades Shows High Average for College

Did you take a class in music last semester? You did? We'll bet that you made an "A" or a "B". Surely you didn't fail. If you did, you're one in a million—well, 11 in 473 anyway. But what about that math class? Not so good, eh? If you made above a "C" then you did better than three out of four of your classmates. In fact, 40 percent of them probably made less than a "C".

That is the way the summary on grades at the college for the fall semester reads. The summary, recently released by Dr. Marvin S. Pittman, shows that, on the whole, local students should have been fairly happy when grade slips were distributed at the end of the four and one-half months grind.

4784 grades were given at the college this fall and 632, or 13.2 percent of them were "A's" while only 407, or 8.5 percent were "F's". 1193 grades, almost exactly one-fourth of all grades given were "B's" while 37.2 percent of the slips bore "C's" and 14.9 percent were "D's".

The summary is organized according to departments, furnishing an authoritative guide as to how who felt on that fateful Monday two weeks ago when advisers looked stern or benevolent according to advisee and department.

According to the summary, here's how things stack up:

Art

In the Art Department, only 3 of 182 grades were below passing but more than one-half of all grades were "C's". More than twice as many art grades were "B's" than were "D's".

Education

Education professors flunked only 4 of 273 students but handed out only about one "A" for every 10 students. 119 "C's" came through the hopper and "B's" outnumbered "D's" by more than three to one.

Phy. Ed.

Health and physical education classes had 789 students enrolled. 68 failed and 102 made the highest possible grade. 313 students drew "C's", 211 got "B's", and 84 received "D's".

Languages

In the languages (English, speech, and foreign languages) grades were almost perfectly balanced. 86 "A" grades and 88 "F's", 205 "B's" and 194 "D's", and 312 "C's" went to 892 students in language classes. These classes incidentally were the most popular—or the most compulsory.

Books and Stuff

The Library has been selected by the United States office of War Information as a depository and a distributor of official Government War Information Films. A number of excellent new films have already been sent to the Library.

Books found on the new book shelf:

Gen. Arnold. *Army Flyer*.
Malloy. *Air Navigation*.
Weems. *Air Navigation*.
Hooper. *Mathematics Refresher*.
Raman. *What Does Gandhi Want?*
White. *They Were Expendable*.
Brown. *Suez to Singapore*.
Tanaka. *Japan's Dream of World Empire*.
Ganoe. *History of the U. S. Army*.
Saint-Exupery. *Wind, Sand, and Stars*. (novel)

Library

The library department distributed 94 "C's" among 192 students. There were 10 "A's", 44 "B's", 23 "D's", and 14 "F's".

Mathematics

Mathematics gave 38 students a headache, and a summons to repeat the course, while 68 of the 263 grades were "D's". 93 "C's", 48 "B's" and 15 "A's" complete the picture.

Music

In music, 174 students got top billing, 115 drew "B's", 134 were "C" students, 38 barely passed and 11 didn't make it.

Exact Sciences

The exact sciences passed out 41 "F's" and 28 "A's". 125 of the 308 grades in this department were "C's" while "B's" were slightly more numerous than "D's".

Social Sciences

There were 53 Social Science "A's" and 70 "F's". 712 students took social science classes. "B's" and "D's" ran neck and neck with "B's" winning. There were 284 "C's".

Commerce

426 students took commerce classes. "A's" and "F's" were almost exactly even, 53 of one and 52 of the other. "C's" led with 147 while 106 "B's" and 65 "D's" went into the records.

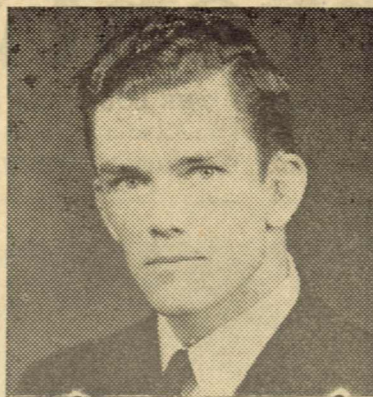
Home Economics

There were 12 failures among 196 home economics students. "A's" numbered 41 and there were 79 "B's". 50 got "C's", and 11 drew "D's".

Pen

In penmanship, there were 17 "A's", 37 "B's", and 12 "C's", 8 "D's", and 4 failures.

Commissioned



Former student Ted Wright (above) visited here last week after receiving his commission as an ensign in the United States Navy.

FROM THE FILES

A glance through the files of The Current Sauce this week revealed quite a bit about the progress of the college in comparatively recent years. Turning back through the yellowed sheets that mark the passage of many generations of Louisiana teachers through this institution, here are some of the things we found:

November 9, 1922: The front page blares, "Student Government at Normal" and we find that "After several attempts on the part of the students to get student government on Normal Hill, it was decided by President Roy and several of the teachers that it should be given a trial by second, third, and fourth year students. So these students were placed in the new dormitory C, and the new plan is being tried."

March 16, 1922: NORMAL WINS BASKETBALL TITLE, said the Sauce, revealing that, "The college has not lost a championship since 1914." That same front page carried this little ditty:
"Thoughts of English 1 remind me
I must study all my lines
Lest old Alex get behind me
With a 6 instead of 9."

That, dear chillun, refers to the same "Old Alex" who still chunks world literature around and among local unfortunates.

And two years later, July 25, 1924, Dr. C. E. Dugdale made the front page as he graduated from Normal as honor student of a "record class" of 27.

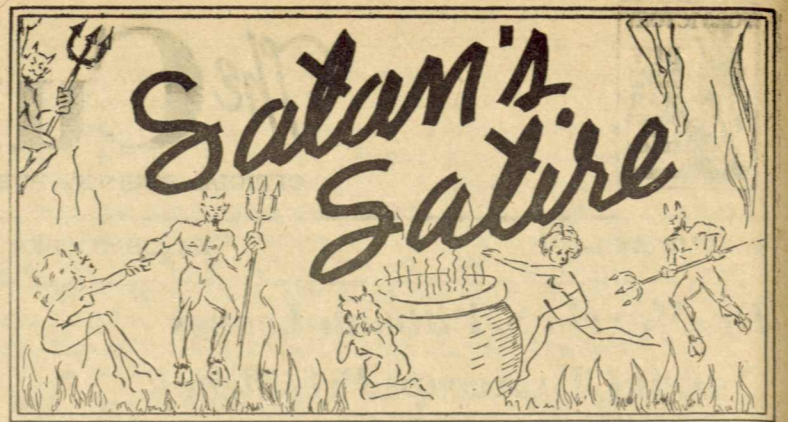
WESLEY FOUNDATION

Do you miss the folks from home—the newspapers, the magazines, and just talking to people? What have you been doing during your leisure time? Have you been over to the Wesley Foundation room in the Religious Center here on the campus? You should come over. It is your second home here at Normal. If you feel like just talking to someone, come over. And by the way, we have a new radio-phonograph and some grand records. Come by and play it. We also have current magazines and newspapers daily. Several new students have been stopping by and we want many more. We also extend a special invitation to the Naval Cadets on the campus. Come to the Wesley Foundation room any time. It's your home away from home.

Campus Etiquette

When a motorist doesn't pick you up on the way to town, don't yell "Chicken" at him. After all, he might not be going where you are, and he can't afford to go out of his way, what with gas rationing.

There are waste baskets all round the campus. Why throw trash on the floor?



Few and far between have been the escapades of local students since last we greeted you from this column. Either that or else the choice bits of gossip that have turned up have been carefully guarded. We can mention, however, a few uncoupled twosomes and a new romance or so.

First there are the Lyons sisters who have proved themselves to be double trouble in any man's league. Reading from age to beauty, you have (1) Noella and (2) Fanny. And among the things they (1) had but have no more, or (2) still have but don't want, are (1) Gary Fournet and (2) John Beard. In other words, the gals have given their respective suitors the old "one-two" and now all four members of our epic are on the prowl. Noella and Gary started the mess when they began to be seen abroad without one another about two weeks or so ago. That, after four or five months of consistent "steading" was worthy of attention. Then, last Saturday night, we saw Fanny leave the campus—probably for the first time since she entered school—with a man who resembled John Beard about as much as Hirohito looks like the Statue of Liberty. That was bad enough, but when we saw her making the return trip with her original accompanist plus another one who had been picked up along the way, we knew that something was amiss. John, when interviewed Tuesday night, announced that he had nothing to say. Observers expect him to counter-attack late this week.

Add things Confucius forgot to say: "When a boy breaks a date, he usually has to. When a girl breaks a date, she usually has two."

We're anxiously awaiting results from the combined facts that, as we reported last issue, Sammy Griffin has been stalking Mildred Courtney and that "Woofie"....., Sammy's out-of-town sweetheart, has enrolled in school for the Spring semester. "Woofie", incidentally, got a nice eyeful on the way here when she observed Bully Howell clambering aboard a bus at Shreveport with his face smeared with lipstick. Bully explains that he had just kissed his aunt goodbye, which explanation deserves a spot in anyone's collection of "Effective Alibis."

Three of the many war widows that the campus has recently acquired are Mary Lester, Julianne David and Marilyn Callender. We're willing to bet that the latter named will waste no time in forsaking her sack cloth and ashes for a rig of a brighter hue. In fact there are those who are already saying "Sailor Beware!"

Blues In Berlin

By Associated Collegiate Press

War brings many songs. Some of them survive; others do not. Not a new song, but a new turn cooked up by students at Chicago Teachers college parodies the popular "Blues in the Night." The new version, called "Blues in Berlin," was printed in the Chicago newspaper, the Tempo.

My fuehrer done tol' me,
When I was in Munich,
My fuehrer done tol' me,
Hans—
A Russian will fall back, and give you the east front,
But when the winter snows come,
A Russian's a two-face,
A worrisome thing, who leaves you to sing
The blues in Berlin.

See the bombs a-fallin',
Hear the blitzes callin',
Goering! Oh, where is the luftwaffe?
We ain't got no booties,
All we got is cooties.
Goebbels! Oh, typhus and black plague.
Die wehrmacht! Die wehrmacht!
A clickity-clack, and soon we'll be back
With the blues in Berlin.

From Smolensk to Mozchaik,
From Kiev to Lubin,
Wherever the panzers go,
I've taken some big towns,
And made me some big talk,
But there is one thing I know,
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The Blues in Berlin.

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New Swing Kings To Play First Dance Wednesday

Williard Hollenshead To Lead New Group

With an all-school dance Wednesday night scheduled as its first appearance a new group of students has reorganized the "Swing Kings", college dance band which disbanded at the close of the fall semester.

Three members of the old band, Williard Hollenshead, leader of the new organization, Doris Leone and Lester Cifreo, form the nucleus from which the new dance band was formed.

The members of the "Swing Kings" who will play the dance Wednesday night are: Williard Hollenshead, leader and string bass; Doris Leone, pianist; Lester Cifreo, Herman Saizan, and Curtis Guillet, trumpeters; Bill McClaughlin, drummer; Bailey Windlewehler, Herman Gautier, Carroll Crew, and Charles Raggio, reeds; and John Parks, trombonist.

College Aids In Renovation Of High School Gymnasium

Through the co-operation of the college and the Natchitoches Parish School Board, the high school gymnasium on the campus has been completely renovated inside.

Approximately \$1000 has been spent on the construction of a number of cabinets and lockers and on painting the inside of the building, officials stated this week. The expense of renovation was shared equally between the college and the Parish School Board, it was stated.

The high school gymnasium, which was formerly known as the men's Gymnasium - Auditorium, was constructed in 1929. Since the completion of the new men's gymnasium at the college here in 1940-41, the old gymnasium has been used exclusively by the Natchitoches high school students.

Hunt Says Local Students Doing Full Share in War

Dr. Andrew Hunt, College Director of Student Welfare, released a special message this week, commending local students and faculty members for their work in the war effort.

Emphasizing that wars can only be won by youth, Dr. Hunt asserted that local students are proving themselves worthy of their nation's confidence in this emergency.

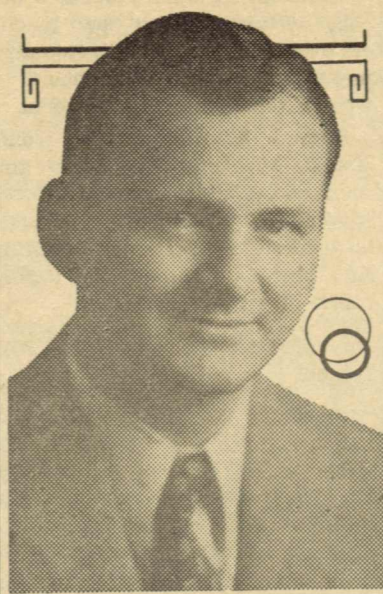
Dr. Hunt's message is as follows: "Although the war may have put a crimp into the usual activities of college students, it is giving them all a chance to develop the best they have in them. Every student at Normal is taking his war time student job seriously and earnestly. The student organizations have cut out a lot of non essentials and instead are concentrating on the building up of war morale, and physical and mental preparedness for the war. All of the students and the organizations are giving more time to war projects. College is no longer a period of delayed adolescence; it is a time for hard work and preparation for the winning of a war which can only be won by youth.

"The faculty members have adopted a new program of guidance, and they are to be commended for their earnest work, interest, and cooperation in developing it. The faculty is ready to help every student to conserve and develop his ability. It is going to give them realistic and well founded advice that will help each to fit himself for the task before him.

"If adjustment to new situations is the mark of an educated man, then the Normal students are well educated. All of you have been adjusting well to the increased enrollment and revised conditions on the campus brought on by the Naval unit. We are pleased to have been chosen by the Navy, and all of the students have proven to be most cooperative about doubling up and helping in various ways to make this unit successful.

"Wars are won by the youth of the nation, and the American youth again will win this one. Our Normal boys and girls are showing that they have the makings of good material that will once more prove the value of a solid democracy."

Colonel Annie...



... of Normal's Junior Commandos is Coach Alvin Brown who directs the men's physical education class which is now compulsory for all men students enrolled in the college.

Gym Class Teams To Be In First Competition Wed.

With 139 local men students enrolled, the college's first compulsory war-time physical education class completed its second week yesterday as members of the class prepared for an inter-team tournament which is to be held here, beginning next Wednesday, February 10.

After a week of organization and preliminary tests in nine events, the class members were divided into six groups early this week. These groups, named for branches of the armed forces, will compete in the meet beginning Wednesday.

Competition in the meet will be held in the nine events used for preliminary tests of class members, plus rope climbing. They are: chinning, push ups on the parallel bars, tests for grip in each hand, standing broad jump, headstand, squat balance, and an obstacle race over a small course set up in the men's gymnasium.

The winning team in Wednesday's meet will be awarded points toward a grand championship which will be announced at the end of the semester. A basketball tournament, scheduled to begin March 1, a track meet, swimming meet, drill competition, and attendance records, will all count toward the grand championship.

In addition to competition in the ten events now under way, all members of the class take calisthenics and receive instruction in military drill. Thirteen student instructors in military have been selected and are presenting elementary drill to the students enrolled in the course.

Individual leaders in the preliminary tests announced this week are as follows:

Chinning: Kerlin Sutton, 16
Push ups: Alan Bienvenu, 19
Right-Hand Grip: Norman Hanchey, 164; Ralph McFarland, 164
Left-Hand Grip, Francis Ledet, 143
Standing Broad Jump, Toxie Bourn, 9 ft.; Morris Carbo, 9 ft.; Ed McDermott, 9ft.
Basketball Dribble, Alden Vige, 9.8 sec.
Obstacle Course, Harold Lewing, 19.8 sec.

Dog Rufus Is A Jr. Commando

The once tired and feeble Rufus is now rapidly on his way to the grave—courtesy the new Jr. Commandoing Course.

The old dog was looking forward to the pleasant and untiring time he was going to have this semester (at least till the reserves were called out) until word got around that the physical ed program (it must have been some big husky bird's brain child) required that all able-bodied men (in other words all that are still breathing) were to participate, which still didn't sound so bad. But oh! what a surprise is awaiting him. Even the first day Rufus began to get a slight idea of what was in store.

Comes the second meeting of the Jrs. and Rufus got a full idea of what was mapped out, which he think is enough to kill such a poor little weak and scrawny MAN as himself (now Rufus wonders why he has to be a man). Rufus almost goes mad with head stands, squats, push ups, side bends, back bends, front bends, sun burns, side burns, and what have you. But Rufus makes it home to bed after having crawled the last two laps to the dormitory.

Comes the third day, Rufus can hardly get out of bed one leg is dead (so he thinks) and the other dislocated; but after pouring hot water on them they begin to limber up somewhat and to class he gradually limps (thank God for no classes on the second floor). And all through the day Rufus goes, not daring to think about that xxxxx P. E. But before he can think of some way to get out of going, it is time. He makes his way over wondering if he will ever see this wonderful outside world again.

The fourth day nearly drives Rufus to Pineville (or wherever such people go for their health) with commands and shouts of right face, left face, right face, about face, left face, right face, right face. (Why in the xxx don't they make up their minds) and some more right faces, left faces, about faces, left faces, (peanuts pop corn and candy! But no cokes—they are for the navy) and another day has come to an end as he drags slowly homeward.

The fifth day comes none too soon for the Dog, even after he has spent a week-end recovering from the shock that the SMALL lumps that were appearing on his arms weren't frogs but muscles, real TRUE TO LIFE MUSCLES. This day was the worst of them all with a little of every thing thrown together to get an obstacle course (better known as OBNOXIOUS course) which was to be taken by all. From a distance, Rufus thought "well I may make it all the way around but yet I don't know" After a little persuading from the Coach, Rufus began the trip. The first few miles weren't so bad—just dodging this way and then the other, then came the ordeal. Two bars placed on a stand about "so high" to crawl under. Rufus starts under, hits his head on the first, goes a little farther, hits his head on the second bar, then some how are other gets on a little and then comes the calamity, something that was trailing him gets hung between the two bars and he can't get loose. He pulls, backs up, pulls some more and gets loose (having lost at least 2 pounds) but still that is not the end, more miles to run, somersaults to make, fences to get over, steps to climb and on top of all—that more running. Having completed the course Rufus finds that it only took him twice as long as anyone else, and comes to the conclusion that he always was too big in certain places anyhow.

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Here's what hardened Washingtonians can tell you about Washington today:

They're exhorting householders to convert their spare rooms and unused attics into quarters for government workers. Over by the Potomac, they're toasting together temporary dormitories for government white-collar girls. But you can still get a room in reasonably short order, thanks to a registry of rooms set up for the likes of you.

The registry is in the U. S. Information Building (formerly billed as "Mellett's Madhouse") at 1400 Pennsylvania Avenue, five minutes by streamlined trolley from Union Station. Make that your first stop in Washington.

The registry will help you find a room. For men or women, rooms run from \$20 to \$40 a month. With two meals a day, \$40 to \$60 a month.

The Apartment Trick

Finding an apartment is something else again. At 1400 Pennsylvania, they'll laugh and say "impossible." Actually, you can get an apartment—IF you're per-

sistent enough and recruit enough early settlers to help.

The apartment managers will say they have waiting lists of 300 to 1,000 names. And they have.

The trick is finding an apartment dweller about to leave town—bound for the "field," for the Army, for back home, for any place. Then work a deal to slip in as he slips out, giving a minimum of trouble to the management. Then you're in luck.

But it takes time. And better earmark 25 per cent of your pay for rent.

Facts of Life

Lunches in government canteens cost 30 cents. You'll pay 40, especially if you like deserts. . . . Six streetcar fares for 50 cents. Or a weekly pass good for as many rides as you care to take for \$1.25. . . . Might as well buy your duds at home. You'll have little time to shop. And stores are very short-handed, jammed like Christmas. . . . Be prepared to go money hungry for six or seven weeks. Takes the machinery that long to grind out your first paycheck. . . . Two dollars a week for laundry and cleaning. . . . Don't forget. Your check will be nicked 5 per cent for retirement. . . . And another 5 per cent for victory tax. . . . And you'll want to put 10 per cent aside for war bonds. . . . So happy budgeting!

War and the Faculty

The U. S. Office of Education has the war toll figures on college faculties now. It says 8,000 left campuses in the last year for armed services, government, war industry, or other fields.

Faculties shrank by about 5 per cent, with numbers of men teachers dropping 7.5 per cent. Replacements increased the numbers of women teachers by 1.3 per cent.

Stirred by the exodus, some schools have boosted salaries and retained staff members beyond retirement age. Close to 100 schools have abolished such non-teaching functions as research and supervision of student activities.

History in Class 1-A

Alexander Meiklejohn, author of "Education Between Two Worlds" and educator with ideas of his own, sides with those who approve the Army-Navy college training programs in these words:

"I am not saying that a young man will get a good education by going into the hell of war. I am only saying that, if he is fit to fight, he will get a bad education by staying out of it."

Work to Be Done

An "urgent" call has come from the Civil Service Commission for college women to take federal jobs as junior engineers at \$2,600. Tuition-free, government sponsored 10-week training courses, now under way at many colleges, will qualify those without engineering training.

The government also can use college-trained women as accounting and auditing assistants at \$2,000, economists and statisticians at \$2,600 and up.

Wartime Washington

The new man on the OPA hot seat, ex-Senator Prentiss Brown of Michigan, should chalk up a good batting record. At little Albion college in his home state, he played baseball for four years, topping the team in hitting. He went on to play semi-pro baseball in the Upper Peninsula leagues.

33 Ex-Students Now Employed In State

Thirty-three students including 21 graduates of the fall semester and 12 undergraduates at the college here have accepted positions in the public schools and defense projects throughout the state, Leroy S. Miller, chairman of the placement bureau at the college announced Friday.

Members of last semester's senior class who have accepted positions in the state are: Verna Lou Barnes, home economics, Ferriday; Florence Blake, home economics, Mt. Herman; Russell W. Cronin, post office, Camp Polk, Leesville; Mrs. Katherine Dexter, elementary, Lake Charles; Dorothy L. Elston, English-library, Oil City; Mrs. Eunice Gauthier, primary, Cameron; Charles Hall, elementary, Natchitoches; Adeline Hyams, physical education, DeRidder; Beatrice Fletcher, physical education, Minden.

Thelma Kennedy, home economics, Sibley; Virginia B. McCrea, primary, Lake Charles; Elise Mayeaux, home economics, Avoyelles parish; Mrs. Alys Piland, elementary, Waterproof; Helen Inez Riddle, English-library, Lake Arthur; Dorothy Lee Roach, music, Franklin parish; Nina Belle Small, primary, Oakdale.

Geraldine Taylor, library, Basikin; Marion O. Thiac, French-English, Gillis; Era Lucille Tison, music and 5th grade, Lecompte; Lina Warren, home economics, Pine Prairie; Adelaide Smith, typist, Lake Charles.

Undergraduates of the fall semester who have been employed are: Thelma Barnes, commerce, Singer; Rae Black, clerk, Natchitoches; Elizabeth Brock, bookkeeper, Natchitoches; Marie Claybrook, steno and bookkeeper, Natchitoches; Margaret French, bank clerk, Minden; Lavonne German, English-library, Plaquemine; Norma Ruth Holcombe, steno, Shreveport; Slio Moore, mathematics, DeRidder; Ladelle Riddle, upper elementary, Springhill; Billie Sayes, stenographer, Leesville; Janie R. Shoffner, stenographer, Shreveport; Manette Tomlinson, social studies, Coushatta.

Social Calendar

Saturday, February 6

Little Theater: Recital by Miss Euny Register, 7:30 p.m.
Student Center: Euthenics Barn Dance, 8:30-12:00 p.m.
Women's Gym: Play Party, 8:30-11:45 p.m.

Sunday, February 7

"Arsenic and Old Lace", Auditorium, 2:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 9

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
B.S.U. Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, February 10

S300: Euthenics Club Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Thursday, February 11

Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Y House: Senior Cabinet Y. W. C. A. Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

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20 Enroll in CAA Course at Normal As 20 Graduate

Twenty men were enrolled in the navy program of the C.A.A. war training service at the Louisiana State Normal College here this week as 20 enrollees including 15 in the navy and five in the army program were graduated from the two-month course here, A. T. Browne, faculty co-ordinator, announced.

With Steward A. Ferguson, head instructor of the flying school at the state college here, the course includes 240 hours of ground work and a minimum of 35 hours of flying in light craft. Subjects taught in the ground work include mathematics, physics, meteorology, navigation, civil aviation regulations, code, general servicing of aircraft, military science and discipline, and aircraft identification.

The five army fliers completing the two-month course here this week are: Robert Claude Bowers, Colfax; George Kilmer Picker, Jr., Allen Jarroll Tomlin, both of Springhill; Leonard Dutton and Marshall Everett Warner, both of Natchitoches.

Repeat Performance of Davis Players Production Is Pronounced Success

The Davis Players, campus senior dramatic organization, and their public hesitated to close the cover on the recently released comedy, "Arsenic and Old Lace" without another peep, so the cast went through its tricks again at a successful matinee performance Feb. 6.

The cast for the repeat performance was the same as for the first except for the replacement of Vernon Warren, who is not in school this semester, by Charles Roberts as Mr. Witherspoon.

Frank Buck

"Brings 'Em Back Alive"

For Local Audience

Frank Buck, internationally famous for years as a collector of wild animals from all over the world, was presented in Normal Auditorium Tuesday night before a large mixed audience of students, cadets, and townspeople, in the third Lyceum attraction of the season.

Mr. Buck gave an interesting account of his experiences as a big game hunter, supplementing the talk with his well-known moving picture, "Bring 'Em Back Alive." His lecture was largely a simple narrative of the search for and capture of animals of all types. Highlights of the lecture were Buck's declaration of his theory concerning the making of man-eating animals and his account of his experience training elephants.

The entertainer stated that he regretted having his work interrupted by the war, but that he felt confident that "the boys will drive the Japs out, and I'll have

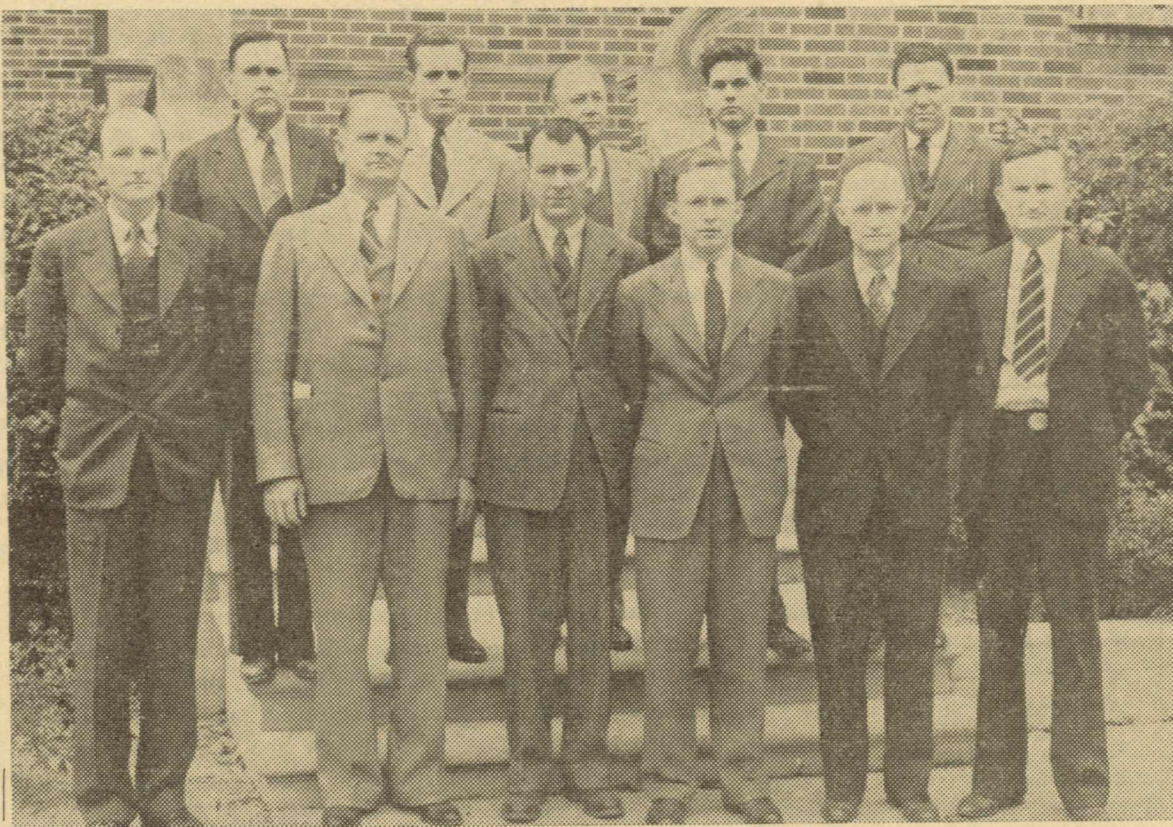
my jungle back again."

Mr. Buck, introduced by Dr. John S. Kyser, chairman of the Lyceum Committee, as a happy medium between slapstick and classic—a satiation of man's love for adventure—is credited with bringing back from the remote jungles species of the tiniest birds and of the most vicious of wild animals.

Starting his career in West Texas collecting wild animals near his home, Buck first travelled outside the United States when he made a hunting trip to Brazil. His second expedition took him to Malaya. Here he made Singapore his headquarters and worked into the jungle, capturing many animals which are considered extremely valuable by American zoos.

During his lifetime, Buck has travelled into many jungle sections of the world and is regarded as a leader in his field.

These Eleven Instructors ...



... eight of whom are graduates of the State Normal College, have been added to the faculty of the Navy Flight Preparatory School at the Normal to teach cadets in five subjects including aerology, mathematics, principles of flight, physics, and airplane engines. The new teachers are, front row, left to right: John M. Taylor, B. S., State Normal, former teacher at Block high school; R. B. Prestridge, B. S., State Normal, M.A., L. S. U., former principal of Methvin high school; C. E. Stevenson, A.B., Oglethorpe University, M. Ed., Duke University, former teacher at St. Mary's College, California; T. R. Sessions, B. S., University of Georgia, former teacher at St.

Mary's College; T. J. Wilkins, A. B., Trinity University, former instructor at St. Mary's College; Elmer Simmons, A. B., State Normal, former teacher at Bayou Chicot high school. Back row: D. E. Sikes, A. B., State Normal, M. A., L. S. U., former superintendent of Winn parish public school; Leland Megason, B. S., State Normal, of Bossier City; Forest Hedges, B. S., State Normal College, former employee of ration board for Natchitoches parish; Ed Watkins, Jr., B. S., State Normal, former teacher at Marthaville high school; Burt Boyd, A. B., State Normal, M. A., L. S. U., teacher at Raceland high school for the last five years.

Famous Harpist Soon To Appear As Lyceum Number

Next presentation of the Normal Lyceum Committee will be Mildred Dilling, the famous harpist, who will be presented in concert in March. The Lyceum Committee and the Natchitoches Co-operative Concerts are jointly sponsoring her appearance here.

NORMAL ADDS ELEVEN INSTRUCTORS TO FACULTY

Second Group of 225 Cadets Enroll in Naval Flight Preparatory School

With the registration of the second contingent of 225 cadets in the Navy Flight Preparatory School at the Normal here last week, 11 additions to the faculty of the naval unit were announced by officials of the state college.

The new instructors include six teachers in mathematics and principles of flight and five in physics, aerology, and airplane engines. Eight of the new teachers are graduates of the State Normal College and three hold degrees from Louisiana State University. Three of the additions to the staff are transfers from St. Mary's college, California, where they have been instructing in a flight school.

Of the 250 cadets who registered in the first class at the flight prep school here a month ago, 50 who had taken civilian pilot training courses before enrolling in the navy unit here have been transferred to the Naval Pre-flight School at Athens, Ga. The first group of graduates from the local flight school included cadets from Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and Mississippi.

When the third group of cadets enrolls in the prep flight school here next month, a total of 28 full-time teachers will be required to teach the naval unit in seven courses, officials stated. Officers

under the direction of Lieut. Com. F. H. Mitchell will conduct the courses in naval indoctrination, physical education and drill for the entire group.

Second "Community Sing" To Be Held Here Monday

The second in a series of weekly Naval Cadet recreational song periods will be held Monday, Feb. 22, from 6:30 until 7:00 p. m. in the Fine Arts auditorium. These "sings" have been arranged by the college department of music, and are scheduled to be held every Monday evening at 6:30.

In addition to a program of patriotic, familiar and popular songs, there will be a stage show, featuring a swing band as well as specialty numbers. Although the programs were arranged primarily for the enjoyment of the naval cadets, the general student body is also cordially invited to attend.

The first in the series of programs was pronounced a definite success. Gilbert T. Saetre, college band master, assisted Walter Mason, who originated the program.

Famous Lecturer To Speak Here Next Week

Dr. Harry Rimmer To Discuss Science And Religion

Dr. Harry Rimmer, world famous Bible teacher, scientist, archaeologist, and author will speak in Natchitoches and on the campus during the week of February 21 to 28. Dr. Rimmer will speak to campus audiences each day and will preach at the First Baptist Church each evening.

Dr. Rimmer is president of the Research Science Bureau, which offers a thousand dollars reward for a scientific error found in the Bible. His talks will deal with science and religion.

The following subjects have been announced as the topics of Dr. Rimmer's lectures while here next week:

"Modern Science and the Fact of God", "Modern Science and the Sacred Scriptures", "The Harmony of Science and the Bible", "Modern Research and Ancient Revelation", "Modern Science and Noah's Ark", "Modern Science and Jonah and the Whale."

Dr. Rimmer is known throughout the country for his effectiveness in speaking to men audiences. Everyone is invited to attend the services, according to a statement this week by Miss Josephine Harris, local Baptist student worker.

Social Calendar

Saturday, February 20

Auditorium: Band Concert, 7:00-8:15 p.m.
Mrs. Good's Home: Delta Kappa Gamma Meeting, 8:00 p.m.
Field House: Freshman Dance, 8:30-11:45 p.m.
Women's Gymnasium: Play Party, 8:30-11:45 p.m.

Sunday, February 21

Dr. Harry Rimmer will speak to YMCA and YWCA, 12:30 p.m.

Monday, February 22

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.
R. O. Center: Dr. Harry Rimmer, 12:30 p.m.
Auditorium: Recreational Sing, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, February 23

R. O. Center: Dr. Harry Rimmer, 12:30 p.m.
Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
B. S. U. Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, February 24

R. O. Center: Dr. Harry Rimmer, 12:30 p.m.
Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.
S300: Euthenics Club Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
Field House: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Thursday, February 25

R. O. Center: Dr. Harry Rimmer, 12:30 p.m.
Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Y House: Senior Cabinet YWCA Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

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CAPITAL TO CAMPUS

Where Do We Go From Here?

Results of a national inquiry into the collegiate mind were announced this week by OWI.

Four organizations—the American Council on Education, the Association of American Junior Colleges, the National Student Federation of America and the International Student Service—asked student governments and war councils what questions college students wanted answered.

More than 200 colleges replied. The results, in terms of winning the war and the peace, were good. Questions most often and most widely asked were how students can contribute most to the war and postwar world, how war will affect education, what the fighting's for, what the postwar world will be like.

Here are some of the questions, answered by government experts:

What's the most useful thing to do before being drafted?

Keep studying until called.

Get into good physical condition. Read about the new kind of war and why we fight it.

Can I continue my studies in the army?

Yes. After you've been in four months, enroll in the Army Institute or with one of 76 universities and colleges offering correspondence courses to soldiers.

Are more educated men really needed or should we all get jobs?

So far as you are free to do so, it's wiser to continue your education but to direct your studies to greater war usefulness.

What are the plans for training and using college women?

WMC is developing proposals for utilizing college men and women in many useful war activities. These plans will be announced soon.

Is there an over-all plan as to the number of soldiers, workers, farmers and doctors, or are we all to be put in the army in the hope the problem will work out right?

A policy for assuring each man his best possible chance for service is gradually taking form.

What kind of world are we going to graduate into after this war?

One thing is sure. We are not going back to where we are. The kind of world we will have after the war depends in large measure upon what we decide we want and how vigorously and

intelligently we plan ahead to achieve the kind of world we want. Therefore it is essential to think, not in terms of what is going to happen, but of what we want to attain.

War Job For Small Colleges

Many a small college finds itself cast into the story right now that the Army-Navy-War Manpower joint selection board has picked the schools to carry out the armed services' specialized training programs.

One promising plan comes to Washington from Robert G. Ramsey, dean of students at Olivet college in Michigan. He suggests such schools be used for rehabilitating and re-educating wounded fighters as they return from the front. Small college surroundings, Dean Ramsey believes, would be ideal for restoring mind, body and skills. For colleges, the plan offers useful war service for the duration and some time after.

The idea has gone to Manpower Commissioner McNutt.

Wartime Washington

Draft jitters are hitting young married men who staff many federal agencies. Reports they were eligible for a 3-B induction delay until 3-A's are called raise many false hopes. Then came the order abolishing dependency deferments. Queries about deferable war jobs flooded Employment Service offices. It's fairly clear now most agencies will ask 3-B ratings for only a few key men. Some won't request deferments on any basis.

War is giving many handicapped persons their first chance at a real job. Two thousand were hired in Washington in six months. They include a blind mechanic, an armless telephone operator, a truck driver without feet and many one-armed chauffeurs.

"The nation's capital" is being spread across the map in the wartime decentralization program. In a single year, enough agencies were moved from Washington to make room for 37,076 workers. Removal of one office alone took 9,000 jobs out of Washington.

Campus Etiquette

Especially during final exams, but at all times in the academic buildings, why not think of others? They might be thinking—who knows? Put a muffler on disturbing noises.



War brings shifting and change. Men come and go, seldom remaining for long in one place. Two local coeds who found their loves when the C.P.T. crew settled here early this year, are now wearing widow's weeds with their young men up and gone. **Carmen de la Barre** had managed to become very firmly entangled in a deal with the brother of former Normalite **Dutch Bowers**. Carmen would like to leave the impression that they were just friends but still objects to the term "platonic." Shifting quickly from brains to the unclassifiable **Lillian Bell**, we find poor "ding" keeping "dong" company once more after a short but oh-so-sweet romance with one of the transients. Rumor insists, incidentally, that Lillian is due for a repeat performance of her courting snapshot (the original was in the 1942 Potpourri) when this year's book comes out—if it does.

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And speaking of the Potpourri (we imagine that there will be quite a bit of speaking of it when it is finally released and the editor seeks the shelter of a P-40), the staff announced this week that it is contemplating demanding police protection from **TOMMY THOMPSON** who is gumming up the not-so-well-oiled works by staging a one-man sit-down strike in the office in an effort to beg or steal a picture of **MARGARET FRENCH**.

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John Hopper, ex-prexy of Lambda Zeta is always ready to help a brother in distress. Either he was helping **Millard Hudson** in distress or into distress last week-end when he escorted **Nancy Ann Lynn** to an official frat function while Millard paid a visit to the home folks. (They say the folks at home are all very sweet and approximately 16 or 17 years old.)

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That same function also rang up the curtain on a couple of other couples. **CIRO LAMPO** and **GEORGE NOMEY** were the beaux and their respective belles were (how'd you guess it?) **DOT** and **BETTY—BELL** of course.

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The boys may just be supplementing Colonel Annie's junior commando training or they may be mad but **Bill McLaughlin** has declared war on **Lester Cifreo** and his shadow, **Herman Saison**. His ammunition is plain old Red River catfish—a 2-pounder, at that. A big-time newspaper would probably headline this item as follows: "FISH CHUNKS FISH". All of that is our way of pointing out that the drums and the piano in the revamped Swing Kings are strictly synchronized these days. Put it another way and you have **Bill fallen hook, line and sinker—he's making fish eyes, too—for blond Dorris "V-5" Leone**.

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LATE FLASH!

The paper may always be late but when we do come out we're strictly up-to-the-minute—in fact we are a few hours ahead of time on this one. At exactly 8:30 p. m. tonight, **E. P. Dobson** will cease to be a one-man woman when he takes **Betty Bell** out of the cloister-like fastness of Varnado Hall. In short, **Bell's horning in again. ooooooh!**

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Flash, again! We'll dip even more into the future and announce that **WILLARD HOLLENSHEAD'S** brand new **Sigma Tau** pin, delivered yesterday, will soon be brightening **VIRGINIA MARTIN'S** blouse and taking care of the **Tau members' nicotine fits**. **Holly's original pen** was lost to a laundress—oops, we mean a laundry.

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We recently read a news story entitled, "I Fought Through To Murmansk." Even more thrilling, though, we think, would be a story which **Don Mike Stothart** might write and entitle, "I Fought Through To The Third Floor of Varnado." The occasion was the taking of Potpourri snapshots and the expedition started off, fully convoyed by Miss Debby Pinkston, with every chance for an uneventful voyage. The third floor was reached and the photography was begun when our hero—foresighted soul that he is—announced (probably with a smirk) that he was out of film and would have to make a return trip. He was dispatched with a girl running ahead crying, "MAN IN THE HOUSE" (there could be an argument as to her use of the first word.) Evidently, though, she was a weak-voiced thing, for half-way down the photographer and his escort were startled by the sudden appearance of one of the dormitory's inmates, clad in things which are fine for roaming dormitories in mild weather but which wouldn't be sanctioned for formal appearances in public! **Don Mike** was the one who screamed.

Wesley Foundation Holds Evaluation Meeting

How are those New Year's resolutions you made? Are you still keeping them?

At the beginning of our present school year, in September, 1942, the Wesley Foundation cabinet met and made a school year resolution. The theme adopted was a program to fit members for the living of these days, that is, to meet the needs and problems of people in the times in which we live. Some evaluation of our efforts to reach this goal was the purpose of another meeting, or "retreat", on Saturday, January 30. The plan used for this evaluation was a review of the work done by the twelve commissions in Wesley Foundation during the past term. Good and bad points were brought out into the light; and with the same goal in mind as they had in September, the cabinet members and a few others invited at large from the group made new plans for the next semester.

Among the most important of these plans is one for the continuance of and emphasis on the current events discussions in the young people's meeting at 6:15 on Sunday evenings. This project has made a good start and is promising to be one of the most interesting and helpful programs ever worked on by the Wesley Foundation.

Another plan—and a rather revolutionary one—is the division of the young people's Sunday morning class into smaller groups for the different ages (freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors), in order better to meet the needs of the various ages.

How about it, Methodist students, are you really interested in seeing the Wesley Foundation mean something valuable to all of us? If you are, then come around to the meetings, help us to put over some of these new plans, and bring some more ideas along for us all to work out in the group.

B. S. U.

A reverent, worshipful, helpful period of each day is the chapel service, immediately following lunch, held in the Religious Center. Students lead, discuss and find definite inspiration through these periods of thirty minutes daily. The navy boys have also found it helpful. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend Monday through Saturday, 12:30.

Married

KEATOR-DAVIS

Miss Litha Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Davis of Trout La., and **Randall D. Keator**, Captain United States Army Air Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Keator of Campti, La., were married Sunday evening, Feb. 7, at 3:30 o'clock. The wedding was solemnized in the Good-Pine Baptist Church, Good-Pine, La.

Dr. E. O. Wood of Louisiana College, Pineville, read the impressive double ring ceremony.

Both Captain and Mrs. Keator are graduates of the Normal. Captain Keator is credited with shooting down the first Japanese plane in the battle for the Philippines.

NOTICE

The office of the Director of Student Welfare has a number of articles which were lost on the campus this year. The owners may get these articles by calling at the office, in Caldwell Hall, and identifying their property.

The articles are as follows: 1 ring, 5 pocket books, 3 bracelets, 1 fountain pen, 1 pencil, and 1 string of pearls.

Books and Stuff

A few books on the new book shelf in the Library:

Sayers. **Sabotage.** (The book that Congressmen tried to suppress.)

Scott. **Duel for Europe.** (A clear and ice-cold view of the opposing minds.)

Horne. **The Democratic Philosophy of Education.** (A timely book.)

Carr. **Conditions of Peace.** (The future lies with those who can turn their backs on the past.)

Bragg. **The Universe of Light.** (From the wave theory of light to atomic diffraction.)

Kipthuth. **Swimming.** (On land and in the water.)

Sachs. **The History of Musical Instruments.** (From primitive rattles to radio-electric instruments.)

Close. **Behind the Face of Japan.** (A book on the "inside of Japan" by a man who knows.)

Bird. **Newspaper and Society.**

Brown. **The Lower South in American History.**

Cadigan. **Stories of School and College Life.**

Rhode. **This Business of Caning.**

Bryant. **Psychology of English.**

War as a Social Institution.

Drucker. **Future of Industrial Man.**

Callcott. **The Caribbean Policy of the United States.**

Welshimer. **Questions Girls Ask.**

Vernadskii. **Lenin, Red Dictator.**

Social Dancing Class to Be Held Here at Night

An extra-curricular class in beginning social dancing will be offered on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights from 6:30 until 7:30 in the Women's Gymnasium. The first class will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 23. All persons who are interested in taking dancing lessons should plan to attend this meeting. The class is open to students, cadets, and faculty members.

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Society

Well, here we are again with "Society" . . . or its equivalent on the local campus. Have you noticed how the fair lady (society) has evaded the hill as thoroughly as she has the navy? Well, anyway, here's a brief account of her doings:

Arsenic Not Too Poisonous

I caught just a glimpse of mid-lady as she gathered up her moon-soaked skirts and scampered away from the "Dance of Dimes" back to normalcy. And I wasn't peeping when I chanced to see her straightening her lipstick after bidding Dr. Pittman bon voyage. And where was she going from there? It could have been to a feast of arsenic and lace but after a second serving the fair dame is still very much alive and still talking about it.

Gym Gem

It was done again at the women's gym the week except on an exaggerated scale. Perhaps there is no school time attraction between coeds and cadets, but Miss Chandler has found a happy medium for these extremes in shuffle-board, ping-pong, and square dancin'. In fact, so successful was she that there was almost a need for calling in the night watchman to break up the party. Don't misunderstand, this refers to the time element involved and casts no reflection whatever on the behavior of the group.

A Piece of Peace

And when society pick up her books after school hours, there's definitely been some changes made. Don't raise an eyebrow, you ABCD'sers but if you don't chip in for a share in the current discussions now being sponsored by the Alpha Theta thinkers, I'll be



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willing to pay off.

On top of all that, Phi Alpha Theta, national honorary history frat, has found time in the last week to pledge and initiate Virginia Cook, Ruth Monger, Ema Lee Holt, and Dorothy Coleman. Professors who were bid were Dr. Skipper, Mr. Aldrich, both of the college social studies department, and Miss Betty Porter, of the high school fraternity. Joyce Baxley, who was bid last year, was initiated with this group.

Theta Sigs Break Loose

Also adding to their lineup were the Theta Sigs who initiated Mary Jo Hayworth, Betty Folse, Mrs. Doer, Ruth Morphis, and Marjorie Garre. Pledges to the sorority included Marian Berard, Jean Coats, Dorris Kemp, Peggy Meredith, Caroline Russell, and Kitty Slocum.

Nor did they stop with mere additions. They conspired to steal the unwary heart Saturday night at a timely Valentine party in the sorority room. Objectives were set up, according to sorority president Shirley Backes, as "eating and dancing."

Alpha Sigs Increase

And Alpha Sigma Alpha has received her just share of new members in the very personable persons of Polly Ballard, Barbara Graves, Gertrude Holland, Kathleen Killen, Carrie Nell Rodgers, Thetis Treadwell, and Doris Walker. Sorority president Sis Caraway reports pledging activities, too.

Tri Sigs Initiate

The Sigma Sigma Sigma, who are very calm and serious this year, according to Mary K. Griffin, president, nevertheless found time to initiate Bonnie Jean Morrow and Fern Bremer and to issue bids to Johnnie Sprawls, Eula Mae Quassier, and Betty Coffman.

Demons Defeat Army Quintet; Cadets Lose

Tapering off the sixth annual Natchitoches High School basketball tournament won by the Coushatta Choctaws over the Byrd Yellow Jackets, 38 to 31, here Saturday, the Demons plastered the Camp Polk soldier quintet, 56 to 15, and the Navy Selection Board five of New Orleans polished off the Navy Flight Preparatory School cagers at the State Normal, 40 to 30, in night games staged in the Men's Gymnasium on south campus.

Richie, star sophomore center for the Demons, led in points in the Normal-Army game with seven field goals. Hudson, Normal forward, followed closely for top scoring honors with 13 markers made in six field goals and one foul shot. Coach H. Lee Prather used a dozen players in the fray which was never in doubt for the Demons.

In the Navy game Goncz, stellar pivot man, was high scorer for the New Orleans quintet with 16 points made in eight field goals. Holtscaw, guard, led for the local Navy school with nine points made in four field goals and one foul shot. The Normal Navy team used 17 players, sending in a fresh five every quarter. The New Orleans sailors used 10 players in the tilt.

The Coushatta high school cagers defeated the East Point five, 33 to 6, in the semi-final round of the upper bracket to go into the final game, and the Byrdmen of Shreveport downed the Marthaville team, 26 to 18, in the lower bracket to cop a shot at the championship. The Shreveport team led at the end of the first half, 19 to 16; but the Choctaws

came back strong in the second frame to pass the up-state quintet after two minutes of play and to lead from then on out.

In the first round of the upper bracket Converse swamped Montgomery, 32 to 6; East Point smothered Colfax, 23 to 11; Natchitoches trimmed Zwolle, 24 to 16; and Coushatta won by forfeit from Hornbeck. Harris defeated Converse, 18 to 9, to go into the quarterfinals but was stopped by East Point, 21 to 18, and Natchitoches lost to Coushatta, 32 to 13, in the other quarterfinal tilt of the upper bracket.

In the opening round of the lower bracket Winnfield smacked Methvin, 23 to 9; Byrd downed Martin, 22 to 17; Marthaville put the skids under LaFargue, 34 to 18; and Good Pine stopped Fisher, 23 to 18. In the quarterfinal round of the lower bracket Byrd nearly doubled Winnfield, 22 to 12; and Marthaville edged out Good Pine, 12 to 10.

A.A.U.W. MEETS

The Natchitoches Branch of the American Association of University Women held its regular monthly meeting in the Lemee House on Monday night, February 15. Miss Mamie Bowman, president, presided.

More Drivel About Cadets From Dot's Diary

My dearest, darling Diary,

Pollyanna at her Pollyannest would find it impossible to be optimistic. Typhoid Mary would go into hiding for fear of spreading it. Edgar Allan Poe might find words to express it. Dante's Inferno would be a sickly sputtering flame beside it. Ah misery!

I suppose you know by now just how downtrodden, how insignificant and gloomy I do feel. I am the personification of dejection. The Man With the Hoe couldn't hold a candle to the depths to which I have fallen. I feel even worse than I felt the day I lost my last friend.

When I reach the Celestial City and the angel on guard duty gives me my wings, my flying license, and my soprano harp I'm going to have some explaining to do. I will have to explain why I was a dismal failure at seventeen—all right, then, I'm not seventeen.

No one could possibly guess that I was a member of the Camp-Fire Girls for ten years. I spent ten long, rigorous years and I am not yet a fit homemaker. I, who won the coveted

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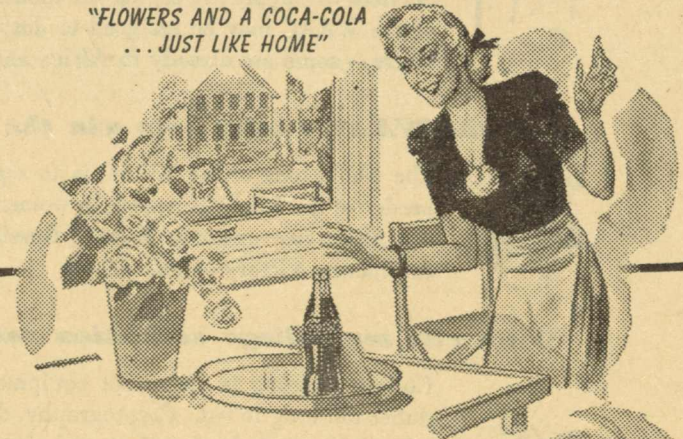
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Dot's Diary—

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buzzsaw for my breadmaking, feel neither the desire to woo or be won.

There is the ghost of that book I read three times, that book on how to win friends and then influence them. In my left desk drawer, under all my text books, all covered with cobwebs and mold, there is a list of the rules of the game. How am I going to explain that to the tough top Sergeant of my Flight-Squadron?

There are those faded, lace-wispy, little dreams I had of becoming an incorporation of all the best qualities of the Blue Fairy, Cinderella, and Dorothy La Mour. What shall I do with them? There will not be room in my knapsack; they are so many. I dare not leave them to Pandora.

There are those moist, knotted handkerchiefs I dropped, running like mad, to find that he was playing Blind Man's Buff with the handkerchiefs.

Perhaps I will not be an angel.

I thought I was worldly wise. I've known the repeal of an amendment, the breaking of the "third term of office" precedent, a draft law, the dust bowl, and Barbara Hutton. I've seen people who like okra and spinach. I've seen people who do not gripe about rationing. I've had measles, pneumonia, hysteria, Leonhendersonia, and First Aid. I am having Mathematics now. I haven't cut a class this semester. That must mean something.

Now I'm at the end of my rope. No, I'm not the first in my family to be at the end of a rope but there was always someone to cut

the others down. Right this minute I wouldn't wish my trouble to an enemy in a concentration camp.

Diary, dear, the sum of the whole thing is this: I am not in love. I am not in love and I don't care. I do not even care! (Of course I know perfectly well you didn't say I cared. Yes, you said that I do not care—I do.)

When I am old and gray, when I dawdle among old lace and arsenic and embroider work, then I'll remember. I will remember hosts of potential "stripe-collectors" with whom I might have danced. I'll remember also those letters I didn't bother to write, that V-mail stationery I didn't use. I'll never forget the night dozens of jeeps-full of people came to town. That was the night I stayed home and read *The Auto-*

biography of Benjamin Franklin.

I'll remember the captivity of all the girls on the Hill. I'll remember the day we assembled and drew up the rules for the game of Military Tag. Little did I know how soon my fondest plans would be dashed earthward.

Most vivid in my memory will be those first few days of regimented steps. Before class we stood at windows to watch not-too-strange proceedings. Was it just two short weeks later that we clamy sat in our chairs and discussed Shakespeare before class? Was it because we realized, "Hut-two three-four" means nothing more than "Hut-two-three-four?"

Love and love and love,
Dorothy

SOCIAL FRATS
ELECT PREXIES

The three social fraternities on the campus elected officers during the past two weeks.

Willard Hollenshead, junior from Homer, was unanimously elected president of Sigma Tau Gamma two weeks ago. He replaces John "Cotton" Meagher who has piloted the Taus for the past two years. Hollenshead's term of office will run for a full year.

E. P. Dobson, junior from Chestnut, has been elected president of Lambda Zeta, replacing John Hopper who left school at the beginning of the spring semester to enroll in medical school. Dobson will head the Zetas for the remainder of the present school year.

Tom Paul Southerland, of Bossier City, was chosen president of Phi Kappa Nu, succeeding J. C. Carlin who graduated at the end of the fall semester.



Life in the WAAC

Some questions and answers of interest
to every patriotic college woman

The drilling sounds so strenuous—!



Nonsense! The most beautiful women in America today are the girls in khaki! Some calisthenics and drilling are vital to general good health, discipline and tuned-up reflexes. After a few weeks at Fort Des Moines, Daytona Beach or the new Fort Oglethorpe training center you'll feel better than ever in your life.

Maybe I wouldn't like the work?



People are happiest doing what they do well. Every effort is made to place you where your service will count most toward final Victory. You may have some latent talent that will fill a particular need for work interesting and new to women—such as repairing the famous secret bombsight, rigging parachutes, operating the fascinating new electronic devices—or driving an Army jeep over foreign terrain.

Then I have a chance to learn something new?



Yes, indeed. And the list of WAAC duties grows constantly. The training and experience you get in the WAAC may equip you for many stimulating new careers opening up for women.

What are my chances of promotion?



Excellent. The Corps is expanding rapidly and needs new officers, both commissioned and noncommissioned. Those who join now have the best chances. All new officers now come up through the ranks. If qualified, you may obtain a commission in 12 weeks after beginning basic training.

What is the age range and other requirements?



Very simple. You may join if you are a U. S. citizen, aged 21 to 44, inclusive, at least 5 feet tall and not over 6 feet, in good health—regardless of race, color or creed. But the Army needs you now—don't delay. Total War won't wait!

Linguists needed. If you speak and write Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese, Japanese, Russian, French, German or Italian, see your local Army recruiting office now! You are needed for interpreting, cryptography, communications.

First of all, is the WAAC really needed?



Emphatically yes! Already the President has authorized the Corps to expand from 25,000 to 150,000. The Air Forces and Signal Corps have asked for thousands of WAAC members to help with vital duties. Both Ground Forces and Services of Supply are asking for thousands more. Members of the WAAC may be assigned to duty with the Army anywhere—some are already in Africa and England.

Can the WAAC really help win the war?



The whole idea of the WAAC is to replace trained soldiers needed at the front. If American women pitch in now to help our Army (as women in Britain, Russia and China do), we can hasten Victory—and peace.

What can my college education contribute?



College training is important equipment for many WAAC duties too long to list. Cryptography, drafting, meteorology, laboratory work, Link trainer and glider instructing, for example. If you are a senior you may enroll at once and be placed on inactive duty until the school year ends. See your WAAC faculty adviser for more details.

But can I live comfortably on WAAC pay?



There are few civilian jobs in which you could earn clear income, as WAAC enrolled members do, of \$50 to \$138 a month—with all equipment from your toothbrush to clothing, food, quarters, medical and dental care provided. WAAC officers earn from \$150 to \$333.33 a month.

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RED CROSS DRIVE NEARS END OF FIRST WEEK

Organizations Taking Part; St. Laundry Hall Makes First Student Contribution

Headed by Dr. Joe Farrar, the Red Cross War Fund Drive got under way on the campus here last Monday when the college band and officers and cadets of the Naval Preparatory School took part in a mammoth parade staged to mark the opening of the drive in Natchitoches Parish.

With St. Laundry Hall making the first organizational contribution, according to an announcement by sources which are usually reliable, the student body joined with the faculty and staff in a campus-wide drive to help balloon the funds received by the Red Cross for war work. Several campus organizations made arrangements for contributions at their meetings during the week with others expected to join them soon. The Student Council in its Monday meeting passed a resolution urging students to give generously to the drive and turned over to the Red Cross the jars previously used for collecting the Veterans' Fund.

Members of the faculty and staff have been appointed as solicitors for their respective groups. The college community chest is contributing \$975 to the drive, according to a statement issued this week.

Results of the first week's contributions will be determined Tuesday when solicitors are to report total contributions made. The drive, however, is scheduled to go on for the remainder of the month.

Social Calendar

Saturday, March 6

Women's Gymnasium: French Club Play Party, 8:30-11:00 p.m.

Monday, March 8

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

Auditorium: Recreational Sing, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 9

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Women's Gym: Social Dancing Lessons, 6:30 p.m.

BSU Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, March 10

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

Women's Gym: Social Dancing Lessons, 6:30 p.m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Thursday, March 11

Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meetinf, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Y House: YWCA Senior Council Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Auditorium: Lyceum Number, 8:00 p.m. (Mildred Dilling, Harpist)

Women's Gym: Social Dancing Class, 6:30 p.m.

Groups, committees, and individuals scheduling the Little Theatre and the Normal Auditorium must fill out information blanks for the use of the janitor and the electrician at the time of scheduling.

The blanks are available in Coldwell Hall, Room 16.

Current Sauce, Potpourri Now Occupy Same Office

The Current Sauce and the 1943 Potpourri are now occupying jointly Room 2 of Fine Arts Building, formerly the office of the Potpourri alone. The Current Sauce moved into the office this week after it was disclosed that the former office of the paper is needed for Navy classes.

105 College Students Enrolled In Courses At Trade School

With 13 students placed in defense plants throughout the country during February and a large number of State Normal College, Natchitoches high school and other students enrolled in courses at present, the Natchitoches Trade School under the direction of H. C. Givens is doing its full share in the war effort.

Two Members of Enlisted Reserve Corps Leave for Active Duty With Army

Two local students, members of the Army Enlisted Reserve, left the campus this week to report for active duty with the armed forces. Norman Hanchey, of DeRidder, received his call last Friday and reported to Camp Beauregard today. Don Mike Stothart, of Vivian, resigned from school last week and applied for active duty. Stothart left for home Tuesday but has not, as yet, been ordered to report. As of yesterday (Friday), no other local members of the Enlisted Reserve Corps had been ordered to report for active duty.

Library to Open On Sundays

The Library will be open from 2:00 until 5:00 p. m. next Sunday afternoon, as well as on the two following Sunday afternoons. The Sunday openings are intended primarily as a service to the Naval Cadets, and are experimental in nature. If the use of the Library during these hours justifies this course of action, the Sunday afternoon openings will become a permanent part of the Library schedule.

Reserve books and magazines may be checked out on Saturday for the week-end, exactly as has been the custom in the past.

Southern Authority, Religious Speaker, To Be Here March 6-8

Dr. William J. Baird, Dean of Berea College, Berea, Kentucky, will spend March 6-8 on the Normal campus and in Natchitoches under sponsorship of the Religious Organizations Council of the College.

Dr. Baird is an authority on "The People Nobody Knows,"—the people of the Appalachian Highlands. Besides discussing various aspects of these people, he stresses the place that should be given

to the character and religious education of teachers.

His services as speaker and counsellor are open to a few more groups; his program as presently arranged is as follows:

Sunday morning, Sermon, First Baptist Church.

Sunday, 1:30 p. m. Talk to YMCA and YWCA Religious Center. Public invited.

Monday, 12:30, Religious Center, Public invited.

Eight students including six women were sent out by the local trade school last month as sheet metal apprentices and five students, all men, were placed as welding apprentices last month, Mr. Givens announced this week.

In co-operation with the college the facilities of the Natchitoches Trade School have been made available to Normal students. Mr. Givens, pointed out this week. This semester 35 college students are enrolled in mechanical drawing, six in electrical shop, 57 in code, two in machine shop and three in sheet metal (evening class). The 20 men enrolled in the C. A. A. program at the college here are also enrolled in code classes at the local trade school.

The Natchitoches Trade School has 72 students enrolled in its regular program this semester as follows: 16 in electricity, 17 in auto mechanics, 23 in machine shop, 10 in sheet metal (night class) and six in mechanical drawing.

"Reading Hour" Planned For March 19 in Library

The Reading Hour, a monthly affair sponsored by the Department of Languages, will be established on the campus with the first meeting scheduled for March 19 from five to six p. m.

Plans call for the reading aloud of various types of literature—drama, poetry, the short story, etc., by members of the faculty. Meetings will be held in the Browsing Room of the Library.

Students, staff members, faculty, and townspeople are invited to attend.

In Concert Here



March 11, Mildred Dilling, world-famous player of the harp, will present the last musical program of the current season under joint auspices of the Lyceum Committee and the Natchitoches Co-operative Concerts Association.

Famous Harpist To Appear Here Thursday In Final Musical Program of Lyceum Season

Upton Close To Lecture Here Soon

Junior Dramatic Spring Play To Be "One Mad Night"

The Junior Dramatic Club announced this week that work has begun on the group's spring production, ONE MAD NIGHT, a three-act mystery-comedy which is to be presented April 3. The play was selected two weeks ago and final casting was completed here early this week.

ONE MAD NIGHT is a play in the best tradition of such famous thrillers as THE CAT AND THE CANARY, THE BAT, etc. The entire play takes place in ONE MAD NIGHT and what a night it is! By the time the curtain falls, the audience will be weak from laughter and ready to admit that ONE MAD NIGHT is the last word in rapid-fire hilarity, according to a description of the coming production by the Junior Dramatic Club this week.

The cast for ONE MAD NIGHT includes:

Priscilla Alden—Betty Reynolds
Lady Macbeth—Juanita Lee
Mrs. Kluck—Mary Ann Westall
Gertrude Finch — Rosemary Watts

Mrs. Finch—Geraldine Price
Lucille Maray—Polly Ballard or Carolyn Russell
Depression—Joyce Kilgore
Don Cutter—Ben Bradford
Wing—M. D. Wallace
Mr. Hyde—Jack Thompson
Dr. Bunn—James Lout
Arlemos Burke—Bruce Rascoe
Silette—Garlington Feazell
John Alden—A. C. Willis

Last musical presentation of the Lyceum Committee for this season will be the concert by Mildred Dilling, eminent harpist, next Thursday, March 11. The concert is a joint presentation of the Lyceum Committee and the Natchitoches Co-operative Concerts Association.

Miss Dilling has given concerts all over the world, after completing her musical education in Paris. She has appeared in television programs in England and was the first American musician to play on all the stations of the British Broadcasting Corporation. She has played seven engagements at the White House.

Upton Close, famous authority on Pacific affairs, will be the next Lyceum lecturer. The title of his lecture and the date have not been announced but he will speak on the campus sometime in April.

1943 Lesche Play Contest Announced

Announcement was made this week of the nineteenth annual Lesche Play Contest, sponsored on the campus since 1924 by the Lesche Club, local women's organization.

Any regularly enrolled student of the college may enter a one-act play, based on Louisiana history or folk lore, in the 1943 contest. Cash prizes are awarded contest winners.

Climax of the contest will be the presentation of competing plays to a local audience this spring. At this time winners will be announced and awards made.

All students interested in converting a story from Louisiana history or folk lore into a one-act play are requested to contact Miss Annetta Wood, Miss Hope Haupt, or Mrs. Lillian G. McCook, it was announced.

Editorials and Features

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1943

Dig Deep

This week the American Red Cross is conducting a War Fund drive which calls for \$125,000,000 from the people of this nation. That is a large sum in the face of increased cost of living and tremendously increased taxes. Moreover, it follows a long series of drives to raise funds for the many organizations, most of them worthy, which have been created to meet wartime needs or which have expanded their pre-war activities.

Nevertheless, the Red Cross drive is one which cannot be safely ignored by the nation and the students of this and other colleges. College students, especially, should realize the urgency of the need which prompts this request for funds and should be especially responsive.

The American Red Cross War Fund will be devoted entirely to serving the needs of the armed forces. We here are close to the armed forces. A large number of our friends and former classmates are now in service, many of them already in action. There is scarcely a man in the student body who does not anticipate being called into service in the very near future. Thus every one of us should feel intensely interested in seeing this campaign reach a successful conclusion. If we have no feeling for others, at least we should have enough interest in our own welfare to work and give toward the attainment of the goal which has been set.

In addition, we have been affected very little by taxes and increased costs of living. We certainly cannot maintain that we have overtaxed our allowances, earnings or other sources of income through our contributions to the veterans' fund, or any of the many other war drives.

This is not to suggest that every local student write home for money to contribute to the Red Cross. The folks at home are probably feeling the financial strain of war. They will be contributing to the drive at home. What seems in order is just a bit of sacrificing by students from personal funds. A few less shows or dates will not seriously inconvenience any of us. The money thus saved and contributed to the Red Cross will mean a great deal to us in the near future.

We feel sure that both the faculty and the student body will do their part in meeting the quota. We earnestly hope that all of us will go far "over the top." Dig deep, brother, it may be your hide that needs dressing soon.

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Symbolic of the role the Red Cross is again playing, the 1943 Red Cross War Fund poster depicts the organization as a mother ministering to the needs of the men of the United States armed forces and the victims of war throughout the world. The poster is an appeal to all men and women for contributions to the War Fund. Lawrence Wilbur, noted illustrator, designed the poster. Helen Mueller is the model.

Former Sports Editor Writes From North African Air Base

A letter addressed to the editor of The Current Sauce was received here this week from Lt. James "Scoop" Anderson, former sports editor of the paper, who is now fighting with the United States Air Corps in North Africa. Lt. Anderson attended the college before entering the Air Corps.

His letter follows:

Feb. 6, 1943
North Africa

Editor, Current Sauce
Louisiana State Normal College
Natchitoches, Louisiana
Dear Sir:

Don't know just how to begin this letter and maybe my heading of dear sir should have been dear madam but I was thinking about the old school this afternoon so I decided that I would write and ask you to send me the copies of The Current Sauce. As you may or may not know, I was once a member of the staff. That was in 1939-1940. That was the year we had our only undefeated football season and also one of our outstanding basketball teams. I was sports editor of the paper that year so that is the reason I mentioned the sports. I have been gone from the States since before the beginning of football season so I still do not know the results of the Normal games this season and wish you would also send the scores and some of the outstanding things that happened during the season.

Every time I think about Normal, Coach Prather and Mrs. Hereford are the first ones that come into my mind. I guess every guy or gal that goes through the school will always have a fond memory of those two, even though at times when I was there I thought that I could have gotten along better without them. However I surely would like to see them now. Or as far as that goes I would just like to see anyone, as long as they were in Natchitoches.

The only thing I can tell you about this country and my part in this war is that we have plenty of Arabs and we have

met the enemy in combat and even though he has taught us to respect his ability as a flyer and fighter, we have been able to take all he has to offer and give him double or even triple that amount back. Don't know if the end of this campaign will see me returning to the States or some other front, but if I do get to come home soon I will try to get into Natchitoches to see all of you.

Please excuse the typing errors in this letter and be sure and let me know if Charles Cunningham has anything to say about the English used. Will close now, but before I go I would like to have you tell Mrs. Hereford, Coach Prather, Miss D. Pinkston, Mr. Ropp and Charles hello for me.

Just ran out of paper on the last page without room to close the letter and thought I had better write something on this page beside my signature—just did so—now I can close. Oh yes, I have a brother now at L.S.N.C., named Paul, so you can tell him to drop me a card or a letter. Thanks in advance for sending me the paper.

Sincerely,

1st Lt. A. C.

James H. Anderson

ABSENTEE REPORT FOR WEEK FEBRUARY 22-27, 1943

154 students absent from classes—22.2 per cent of student body.
46 men—30 per cent of men students
108 women—19.7 per cent of women students
55 freshmen—27.3 per cent of freshman class
41 sophomores—28.4 per cent of sophomore class
26 juniors—17.6 per cent of Junior class
32 Seniors—16 per cent of Senior class
343 classes missed—3.1 per cent of total number of classes held.
131 prearranged and justified—38.2 per cent
176 ill—51.3 per cent
18 not justified—5.2 per cent
18 errors—5.2 per cent.
19 reported tardy
20 called in for conference.

74 Students Must Have Photos Made

Pictures of 74 local students are not on record in the registrar's office, according to an announcement this week by W. S. Mitchell, registrar. These pictures must be made at once or grades will be held up at the end of the semester, it was stated.

Pictures will be made in the Potpourri studio from 4:30 until 6:00 on the afternoons of March 17, 18, and 19. This is the last time that these pictures will be made and those failing to appear on one of these dates will have to have their pictures made elsewhere before they can receive their grades.

The following is a list of students whose pictures are not on record:

Cater Alpin, Jr., Emma Lee Archer, Velma Lydia Avant, Billie Ballenger, Gabriel J. Barkate, Eloise Barlow, Hazel Bounds, Sue Bradley, Alice Wniona Breda, Marcella R. Bingham, Joseph F. Cavanaugh, Jean Coats, Mary Alleta Coats, Mrs. Harold Collier, Mrs. J. E. Cooper, Mrs. Frances M. Crow, Billy M. Dickerson, Margaret Ruth Farrar.

Alice Bradley Falconer, Mary Bess Frey, Novice Frye, Don Egbert Fuellhart, Mary Rins Gallospy, Mrs. L. H. Hankins, Miss Ruby M. Harris, Mildred Marian Hart, Leon Hemphill, Freda Higgs, Freddie Neild Hill, Edwin Hugh House, Doris Kemp, Mrs. Doris Walker Ketner, Randall Krikland, Anna M. Langenstein, Avalene Laura Lay, Francis L. Ledet.

Juanita Lee, Jacob Lechner, Elise Mae McCoy, Mrs. Edith W. McKaig, Albert Gordon McKee, William Alexander McLaughlin, Mrs. Pluma Harper Madden, Peggy Meredith, Vivian Marie Monk, Doris Ecklyn Neal, Gordon Cecil Neely, Ila Nichols, Atala M. Nold, Eloise Page, Vera Faye Parker, Mrs. George Parks, Irma Peterson, Joseph Hunter Pierson, Hoyt Reed.

Elizabeth Claire Russell, Mary Poynter Schwing, Roy Calvin Shehane, Mrs. O. C. Skipper, Mary Katherine Slocum, Alaric Smith, Ollie Hester Smith, Dana Jeanne Sudduth, Chester Tatum, Oran Brents Taylor, Eula Mae Tessier, Mrs. Beulah A. Thomas, Evelyn Walker, Lorene Watts, Rosemary Watts, Mary Anne Westall, Mildred Louise Whately, Mrs. Troy W. Wheeler, Lois Ameda Williams.

Alpha Psi Omega Initiates Five

Alpha Psi Omega, honorary dramatic fraternity, opened its doors to five new members on Wednesday, Feb. 24 when James Taylor, president of the local group, presided at the initiation of Mrs. Andrew W. Hunt, Virginia Leete, Dennon Holmes, J. E. Tullos and Tommy Thompson. Mrs. Hunt, a graduate of Stanford and a speech major, as well as Dr. Hunt who was an active member of the Baylor Cast of the organization, are valued assets to the local cast which has among its members in the faculty Thera Stovall, Charles Cunningham, Dorothy Cohen, and Annetta Wood.

After the initiation Virginia Leete was elected secretary-treasurer to replace Charles Roberts, now in the Army Air Corps at Sheppard Field. The group was entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Hunt at their apartment on Normal Avenue. Pledges of the organization who were unable to be present at the initiation were Betty Bell and Vernon Warren. Mr. Warren is also now at Sheppard Field.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, March 7, 1943

Holy Communion and Sermon at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

Rev. Phillip Locke of the Dominican Republic will officiate.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

Have you—Methodist students—attended Sunday School and the Wesley Foundation "Friendly recently? Do you take an interest in what your "church on the campus" is doing? If not, why don't you begin this month right by a regular attendance at these two meetings? We need you just as badly as you need us.

On Sunday mornings at the Student Class we are having a new and interesting study of the Bible—the like of which you probably have never heard. This Sunday you will be able to ask any question about the Bible or Religion as a whole that you have been wondering about or that is not entirely clear to you. Our Sunday morning Service is always begun with a short and inspiring Worship Service followed by announcements and the discussion.

We have also recently begun a very up-to-date and worthwhile discussion centered around the theme of **World Reconstruction** at our evening Service which follows the "Friendly". The two previous Sunday evenings have been given to the discussion of **What is Democracy?** followed by **What Kind of World do You Want? Different Kinds of Societies That Have Been Tried Such as Fascism, Communism, and Capitalistic-Imperialism** was the topic of discussion last Sunday evening. This Sunday evening we will continue this discussion in our usual open manner and the topic is to be **Christian Democracy as the Answer**.

Surely you as youth of the church are interested in these imperative topics. You have plenty of ideas so come on out and share them with us. This is your duty to yourself and the future so we're depending on you.

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This week not a single soul has done anything scandalous, amusing, or otherwise suitable for **SATAN'S SATIRE**. So you can call the following what you like—our choice would be something like "From A Chair In Varnado" or "In Case You Haven't Heard."

For some reason—maybe because of the folks at home—**Millard Hudson** and **Nancy Ann Lynn** agreed to disagree last week. Millard's cronies insist that the parting was sweet only to Nancy and that the young man in the case was pretty broken up about the whole affair. The deal reached a wobbly climax when la Lynn made it clear to all concerned that she wasn't at all anxious to have her framed image hanging alongside the Varga girls on Millard's wall but Hudson, resourceful as ever, managed to wangle the Potpourri gang into delivering him the picture anyhow—for a buck and a quarter, of course.

And, as usual, there's a new tale going round on **Herman "Sears-Roebuck" Saizan**.

This isn't satire but it is plain old h——. **Louise Hawkins** lost the keys to the entire college music department early this week! The Hawk knows that they are on the campus but, beyond that, she hasn't the faintest idea where they may be. Anyone finding a bunch of keys—just keys, no markings or tags—will be greeted with a benevolent beam and heartfelt thanks if he (preferably, but she will do) will return them to Louise at Varnado or to The Current Sauce office.

Unofficial observers observed this week that attendance records at the college will probably reach an all-time high this spring what with **Don Mike Stothart** out of school.

Heart wounds often heal quickly. As proof of the above statement, witness the affection that has sprung up between **Evelyn Burford** and **Lester Cifreo**. Meanwhile, plans for the **Gholson-Manning** knot-tying are most indefinite and **Marilyn Callender** has added **James Taylor** to the mile-long string of suitors who dog her date nights.

And Saturday night saw **Peggy Montegut** helping **Norman Hanchey** bid the school adieu while **Virginia Palmer**, usually considered as the departed **Pat Murphy's** One-And-Only, having a very good time helping an ultra-robust Marine get acquainted.

One reason we're having such a time filling this column is the fact that **Sonny Thomas** seems actually to have settled down to the life of a one-woman man. His loyalty to **Mary Jean Swift** is the greatest that we've noticed in Thomas since the **Binky Leete** era. And speaking of Binky and Mary Jean, we observe that la Leete has become very firmly attached to one of the flying tars and that **John Hopper** spent most of Friday night in the field house trying to get **Mrs. Hannah Hankins** to find him a date.

Campus Etiquette

Don't clap like school children when a program is delayed. Sit like adults and act like adults.

Gum IS precious these days; but no one wants it to be deposited in water fountains.

Don't throw trash onto the ground, or onto the floors of campus buildings. There's a manpower shortage.

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Lambda Zeta Initiates
Two Tuesday, Feb. 23

Lambda Zeta fraternity initiated **Ben Bradford** and **Philip Orr** on Tuesday, February 23.

The fraternity is moving back to its old room in the basement of **Caldwell Hall**, the new room in **Fine Arts Building** being needed by the Navy.

Davis Players Issue Bids
To Three Local Students

The Davis Players held their regular monthly meeting February 18. New members were voted on and bids were issued Monday, Feb. 22, to **Garlington Feazell**, **Mickey McCain**, and **Mary Frances Edgerton**. Other new members will be taken in after the Junior Dramatic Play.

On Saturday, February 20, the Davis Players gathered in the speech department for the purpose of cleaning the stage, costume room, and other parts of the dramatic department. After they had completed their work, they all enjoyed delicious refreshments.

D.S.E. Initiates Seven;
Pledges Four

Four girls accepted bids from the **Delta Sigma Epsilon** sorority at the beginning of the spring term were Pledged Thursday, Feb. 25. They are: **Patricia Harrison**, **Mary Eleta Coats**, **Joyce Kilgore**, **Emma Lee Archer**.

Initiated into D. S. E. last week were the following: **Shirley Mae Babin**, **Lottie Delane Tarver**, **Mildred Hart**, **Elizabeth Keegan**, **Jane Poleman**, **Margaret Pilkinton**, and **Catherine Nelken**.

Elected to take the place of **Verna Lou Barnes**, vice-president, who graduated last term, was **Rose Marie McMullan**.

NOTICE TO GRADUATES

All candidates for the degree this Spring Semester please call at the Treasurer's Office this week, pay the diploma fee of \$3.00, bring the receipt to the Registrar's Office and sign application blanks for the degree so we can make application to have the diplomas made in time for delivery at the end of the term.

W. S. Mitchell,
Registrar

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Room For Rent by Racketeer

To nimble-witted gentry with acquisitive instincts, it's a rare ill wind that fails to suggest a road to easy wealth.

The ill wind of Washington's wartime overcrowding is no exception. Many a government recruit is learning the search for a room to rent may lead to the door of a petty racketeer.

According to the Washington U. S. attorney's office, here's how hundreds of newcomers are victimized. The new arrival checks his bag at Union Station and begins the room hunt. Hours later he finds a landlord who says he'll have a room available next day and a week's rent in advance, please.

The jubilant room hunter pays, pockets a receipt and departs rejoicing.

Next day he returns. "No room here, sorry," says the landlord. The room hunter shows his receipt, asks for his money back. The landlord points to the receipt. It says "no refund after 10 hours."

The war worker is out \$5, \$10, or more—and still roomless.

That's small stuff. Big-time operators mulch home seekers of as much as \$200, deposit on purchase of a home.

Few college students ever buck a racket like this. But they are old hands at the perilous, complicated business of renting rooms and living in rooming houses. They could give lessons to women war workers now living in rented rooms for the first time.

To help them with their problems, the Women's Bureau of the Department of Labor prepared a list of do's and don'ts for roomers and landladies, complete with an epigram from Emerson: "Life is not so short but that there is always time enough for courtesy."

Experimental Drama

WPB isn't known as a patron of the experimental drama, but it's keeping an eye on an experiment among New England college theatres that involves—of all things—a logging project.

Since the experiment concerns reduction of the manpower shortage for winter logging operations, however, WPB has a legitimate interest. Matter of fact, WPB wrote the script. It's "Woodman, Chop That Tree", a dramatization of the need for loggers.

Members of the Allied College Theatres of New England presenting the drama include Amherst, Bennington, Brown, Mount Holyoke, Smith, Wellesley, Williams and Yale. Theatres at these schools organized last fall to integrate and enlarge their war activities.

Following the logging project, their next war contribution will be plays dealing with aspects of the four Freedoms.

Education Elsewhere

"Education" on Nazi terms has become a major interest of Vidkun Quisling, the Norwegian quisling. Smuggled reports reveal the puppet premier has put the scientific works of Marie Curie and all books by authors of Polish origin on the "verboten volume" list. At the same time, libraries were ordered to display "large pictures" of Vidkun Quisling.

Quisling has a juvenile delinquency problem, too. He's using

police to force Norwegian youngsters to attend youth service meetings, fining parents if the kids play hockey.

Curricula are being expanded in occupied Holland. According to Het Nationale Dagblad of Utrecht, one of the first pro-Nazi papers in Holland, the Burgomaster of Harlem has supplemented technical courses—with classes in national socialism.

Radio monitors have picked up a report that Italy's "schools of higher learning" will close for good April 30. All students will be drafted for army duty or farm work.

Wartime Washington

Wiley Rutledge, newest justice on the supreme court, has a conquest of disease to his credit. Shortly after he was graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1914, he learned he had tuberculosis and went West to fight the affliction. He earned his law degree at the University of Colorado after his recovery, then became dean of law at Washington University in St. Louis and the University of Iowa.

NORMAL TO OPEN TWELVE WEEKS' SUMMER TERM MAY 31

Elementary and High School To Run Nine Weeks' Session

The 12 weeks' summer session which opens at the college here on May 31 will operate on a basis of five days a week, it was decided at the regular monthly meeting of the faculty Monday.

Both the High School and the Elementary School will be open this summer for nine weeks, officials stated this week, opening at the same time the college starts its summer term and offering practice teaching to students.

An observation course which has been offered previously to elementary teachers only during the summer session will be offered to both elementary and high school teachers this summer, officials announced this week. The course will serve particularly as a refresher course for teachers who want to observe the best practices in teaching. Full credit will be allowed those who complete the course.

In addition to the regular summer session of twelve weeks at the college, the Navy Flight Preparatory School will be operated on the same plan as it is now following. Approximately 30 teachers on the college faculty will instruct the cadets during the summer.

Plans for all courses to be offered this summer are being made this week and will be announced shortly in a special summer bulletin published by the college.

The spring semester of the college will close on May 29 when final examinations for all undergraduates will be completed. The annual commencement exercises will be held on Monday, May 24.

Books and Stuff

Books found on the new book shelf:

Stout. *The Illustrious Dunderheads*. (Direct quotations from the Congressmen who have blocked our war effort.)

Thom. *Normal Youth and Its Everyday Problems*. (A common-sense approach to life.)

Huss. *The Foe We Face*. (An intimate picture of Nazi Germany and its fanatical leaders.)

Baker. *Oil, Blood, and Sand*. (Why a million Nazis are dying in the Caucasus.)

Madame Chiang Kai-shek. *This Is Our China*. (A vivid, impressive account of the country at war and at peace.)

Carson. *Plane Trigonometry Made Plain*. (A practical book.)

Ayling. *How Every Boy Can Prepare for Aviation Service*. (Conditioning yourself in advance.)

Fowler. *Food*. (A weapon for the victory of the United Nations.)

Faust. *The Girl's Place in Life and How to Find It*. (Where can a girl find her life's work?)

Holmes. *Strategic Materials and National Strength*. (Fundamental to an understanding of our war effort.)

Spence. *Get The Behind Me*. (His life as a preacher's son.)

Tolstoi. *War and Peace*. (A new edition of the world-famous novel.)

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Army, Navy Tests To Be Given Here On April 2

Qualifying tests for applicants for the new V-12 Navy College Training Program will be conducted in Warren Easton Hall at 9 a. m. on April 2, A. T. Browne, faculty co-ordinator of the CAA program at the college and chairman of the new Navy testing program at the college, announced this week. Mr. Browne will be assisted in giving the tests by L. H. Dyson, head of the department of education and director of teacher training at the college.

Although originally announced as a Navy test only, the test has been extended to provide opportunities for those students wishing to enter college training under the army's A-12 specialized training program, it has been announced. Under the new provisions, those who prefer the navy program should fill out the form for navy training. Those who prefer the army should fill out the form for admission to that branch of the service. Those who have no preference may use either card, noting that they have no preference. Students passing the army test will get certificates to present at the time of their voluntary or regular induction.

Admission and identification forms for the Navy college training program tests may be obtained at the office of Mr. Browne in Warren Easton Hall, it was announced this week. The forms must be filled out and presented by the candidates to Mr. Browne. No candidate will be admitted to the examination room after the test has begun.

Applicants who qualify through the test will report at their own expense to District Offices of Naval Officer Procurement where they will undergo a physical examination and an interview to determine potential officer-like qualities. Special committees consisting of a representative civilian, an educator and a Naval officer will make the final selection of students for the Navy College Training Program, officials of the college pointed out this week.

Men now enlisted in any branch of the armed services, including V-1, V-5, V-7 reserves on inactive status, are not eligible to take this test.

ABSENTEE REPORT Week March 8-13, 1943

174 students absent from classes—25.4 percent of student body
47 men—31.3 per cent of men students

127 women—23.8 per cent of women students

66 Freshmen—30.1 per cent of Freshman class

35 Sophomores—24.4 per cent of Sophomore class

32 Juniors—21.9 per cent of Junior class

41 Seniors—20.8 per cent of Senior class

486 classes missed—4.4 per cent of total number of classes held
232 prearranged and justified—47.7 per cent

225 ill—46.3 per cent

10 not justified—2.1 per cent

19 errors—3.9 per cent

14 reported tardy

33 called in for conference.

Thirteenth Annual Convention of Louisiana State Division of AAUW Will Be Held Here March 26-27

Plans are rapidly maturing for the Thirteenth Annual Convention of the Louisiana State Division of AAUW which will be held on March 26 and 27, at the college.

The program for the two-day meet is as follows:

Friday, March 26

2:00 p. m.—

Registration—Foyer of Varnado Hall

Tea—Drawing Room of Varnado Hall

2:30 p. m.—

Business Session — The Little Theatre, Fine Arts Building
Dr. Katherine French, presiding
Invocation, Mrs. Charles Wagner, of Natchitoches

Greetings from the Natchitoches Branch, Miss Mamie Bowman
Response, Mrs. C. C. Colvert of (Continued on Page 4)



Dr. Katherine French of Shreveport, state president, who will preside at the Thirteenth Annual Convention of Louisiana State Division of A. A. U. W. here March 26-27.

Normal to Teach Pre-flight Aeronautics

The Louisiana State Normal College has been selected by the Civil Aeronautics Administration of the Department of Commerce to offer a subsidized course in Teaching of Pre-flight Aeronautics to high school teachers throughout the state, officials of the college announced this week. The course will be offered during the first part of the summer session in June.

The purpose of the program is to prepare a more adequate supply of teachers for the secondary schools now offering or planning to offer pre-flight aeronautical courses as part of their contribution to the war effort.

It was pointed out here this week that pre-flight aeronautics is one of the vital courses in the basic training of young men desired by the Government before induction into the armed forces of the nations. Both the Army and the Navy are emphasizing the need of qualified instructors in aeronautics.

Eligible students in the course to be offered by the Louisiana State Normal College in June include both men and women who are teaching or who certify in good faith that they intend to teach pre-flight aeronautics in a secondary school or college not later than the beginning of the school year 1943-44. The Government will pay the student's tuition.

Sixty-four hours in length, the course will include classes in Scope and Purposes of Aviation Education, two hours; General Servicing and Operation of Aircraft, 20 hours; Meteorology, 18 hours; Navigation, 14 hours; Civil Air Regulations, seven hours; and the Place of Pre-flight Aeronautics in the Secondary School Curriculum, two hours.

Teachers planning to take the course at the State Normal College should, file their application with L. H. Dyson, head of the department of education and director of teacher training at the college, as soon as possible. The course will be scheduled at the

Normal Head Presents Wings To Navy Fliers

President Joe Farrar presented wings to 19 men enrolled in the CAA War Training Service Program here at impressive ceremonies held on the academic court in front of Warren Easton Hall at 2 p. m., Tuesday.

The presentation of wings to the Navy V-5 men marked the completion of solo flights by the 19 fliers who enrolled in the course here on February 14. They have 30 more hours of solo and dual flying to complete before finishing the course at the State Normal College, A. T. Browne, faculty co-ordinator of the course, announced this week.

Dr. Sarah Clapp Re-elected To Office by Conference

Book Donations For Fighting Men Asked By Library

The Victory Book Campaign, designed to provide good reading material for the men of the armed forces, is now in progress on the campus according to Mr. Eugene Watson, college librarian. Operating under the slogan, "Any book you really want to keep is a good one to give," the drive will extend through March 27.

The Victory Book Campaign originated last year and was a nation-wide success but due to the expansion of the armed services present supplies of reading material have been found inadequate.

Conferences held with the Army and Navy Special Services officers responsible for library service indicate their preference for the following kinds of books:

1. The current best sellers and the more recently published popular fiction and popular non-fiction, in good physical condition.

2. Adventure and westerns, detective and mystery fiction, in good physical condition.

3. Technical books published since 1935 in the field of mathematics, machine mechanics and design, electricity, radio, photography, aerology, navigation, meteorology, chemistry, physics, shop mechanics, military science, mechanical drawing, architecture, etc.

4. Funny books — books of jokes, humorous stories, anecdotes, cartoons and group games, in good physical condition.

5. Pocket Books, and other small sized editions of popular titles.

Book gifts are to be placed in a box which has been provided for them in the college library. Students who have no books to contribute but who would like to take part in the campaign may donate the price of a book by sending or giving the money to Mr. Watson at the library.

time most convenient for the students enrolled, Mr. Dyson stated this week.

Dr. Sarah L. C. Clapp, professor of English at the college was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Louisiana College Conference at the sixth annual meeting of the association, last week-end, on the campus of Louisiana State University; and Mrs. Lillian G. McCook, associate professor of voice and musicology at the state college here, was named vice-chairman of the music section of the conference.

Appearing on the program of the two-day conference last week were President Joe Farrar who gave the response to the address of welcome by General C. B. Hodges, president of the university; Dr. C. E. Dugdale, head of the department of languages, who read a paper before the English section of the conclave; and Eugene Watson, head librarian at the college, who presided over a joint session of the library section and the college presidents' division. Mrs. Frank Clay, cataloger at the college library here, served as secretary of the library section at the conference.

Official delegates of the State Normal College at the two-day meet were Dr. Dugdale and Dr. F. A. Ford, professor of education. More than 20 members of the faculty and administrative staff of the college attended the conference.

Costume Dance Slated for Field House Tonight

A costume dance, sponsored by Phi Kappa Nu fraternity, will be held tonight in the student center, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. All students and cadets may attend the dance upon payment of a nominal admission fee.

A prime requirement of the sponsors of the dance is that all students attending the function come in costume. Cadets, of course, may attend in uniform or mufti.

Music for the dance will be furnished by the revamped Swing Kings, college dance orchestra.

Bandage Rolling Hits All-Time Peak On Campus

College May Supply Half of Parish's March Quota

Interest in the Red Cross surgical dressings project on the campus is reaching an all time high this month according to a statement made by Mrs. Ruby S. Dunklema last night. In the first three weeks of March, excluding Saturday (today) when much work is expected to be done, approximately 12,000 bandages have been made as compared to 8,000 made in the entire month of February, Mrs. Dunkelman stated.

The program began slowly last fall with few girls taking part but at least 15 to 20 coeds now work in the surgical dressings room each afternoon, each girl working one or two hours.

With the Natchitoches Parish quota set at 30,000 bandages by Red Cross officials, the college will supply one-half or more of the total parish quota this month, if work continues at its present pace.

It was emphasized early in the year that the work is vital and that local girls can easily afford to spend several hours a week at the surgical dressings room.

Four Sororities Elect Officers

Four of the five social-educational sororities on the campus announced the election of new officers this week. One, Sigma Sigma Sigma, has not reported selection of new leaders as yet.

One Greek-letter organization, Alpha Sigma Alpha, re-elected their president, Viola Caraway, while the other three groups chose new heads to replace graduating incumbent presidents. Em Willis was elected president of Delta Sigma Epsilon, replacing Marjorie Aaron. Virginia Leete is the new Theta Sigma Upsilon president, replacing Shirley Backes. Pi Kappa Sigma has chosen Billie Elston to replace Betty Bell as president.

Two sororities also submitted lists of other new officers to The Current Sauce. Delta Sigma Epsilon: President, Em Willis; Vice-President, Rose Marie McMullan; Secretary, Mavis Cade; Corresponding Secretary, Marjorie McLeod; Treasurer, Marie Crosby; Asst. Treasurer, Jane Poleman; Chaplain, Charlotte McCarty; Sergeant-At-Arms, Shirley Babin; Reporter, Lottie Tarver; Pan-Hellenic Representatives, Mildred Hart and Mary F. Edgerton; and Historian, Clemmie Saucier.

Theta Sigma Upsilon: President, Virginia Leete; Vice-President, Virginia Lea Marmande; Treasurer, Joyce Baxley; Secretary, Margery Buatt; and Editor, Peggy Montegut.

MID-TERM GRADES Spring Semester, 1943

Mid-term grades will be due in the Registrar's Office by noon, Wednesday, March 31. Grades are to be in original and duplicate for each student and arranged alphabetically.

These Lil' De-icers . . .



. . . took time off from a swimming class (according to the college Publicity Department) to take a gander at a freak of nature which occurred here on Wednesday, March 3. The college water tank chose to overflow just as the coldest and latest cold wave in recent years hit the campus. The result is shown above. The superfluous matter (namely Betty Folse, Jeanne Holtsclaw and Frances Sharp) was supplied by Mrs. Hereford.—Photo by Dobson.

College Students Eligible For Deferment If Studies Are Scientific or Technical

College students in the scientific and technical fields may be deferred until July 1, 1945, under the provisions of a new occupational bulletin sent from Selective Service Headquarters to local boards last week.

In colleges which are running on accelerated programs, this broad liberalization of the deferment policy for college students means that men who now enter freshman classes in the approved fields are eligible immediately on enrollment for deferment for the whole length of their college training. Formerly deferment was only possible for students who had completed at least part of their courses.

Materially affected by the revised policy are under-graduate

and graduate students in scientific and specialized fields, internes, and students of agriculture, forestry, pharmacy and optometry.

Specialized Fields

The specialized fields in which graduate and under-graduate students are eligible for deferment are: aeronautical engineers, automotive engineers, bacteriologists, chemical engineers, chemists, civil engineers, geophysicists, mathematicians, mechanical engineers, meteorologists, mining and metallurgical engineers (including mineral technologists), naval architects, petroleum engineers, physicists, (including astronomers), radio engineers, safety engineers, sanitary engineers, transportation engineers—air, highway, railroad, water.

Scientific Fields

The occupational bulletin sent to the draft board states: "A student in under-graduate work in any of the scientific and special-

ized fields listed should be considered for occupational classification if he is a full-time student in good standing in a recognized college or university and if it is certified by the institution as follows: (1) that he is competent and gives promise of successful completion of such course of study, and (2) that if he continues his progress he will graduate from such course of study on or before July 1, 1943."

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, March 21, 1943

Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.

Church School at 9:45 a. m.

Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11:00 a. m.

Wednesday, March 24, 1943

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Kremmerer. *The ABC of Inflation.* (Current trends and attempted controls.)

Carroll. *We're in This with Russia.* (We must be realistic in viewing the future.)

Childs. *This Is Your War.* (Your part and what to do about it.)

Myer. *Education for Democratic Survival.* (An emergency educational program for the schools.)

Alsop. *She's Off to Marriage.* (A personally conducted tour through courtship, engagement, wedding, honeymoon, and the early years of marriage and motherhood.)

The *Aircraft Year Book* for 1942. (An illustrated record of the year.)

Admiral Clark. *A Short History of the United States Navy.* (A graphic story of our first line of defense.)

Loewenstein. *Brazil Under Vargas.* (Our most important American ally and its amazing leader.)

Preservation of Foods to Be Taught At Short Course

A short course in food preservation will be offered by the Home Economics department here during the summer session, it was announced this week by Sylvan Nelken, head of the department of vocational education at the college.

The six-day course will be offered during three periods this summer, the first opening on May 31 and closing on June 5, the second starting on June 7 and ending on June 12, and the third beginning on June 14 and terminating on June 19.

The six-day course will include canning of fruits, vegetables, meats, etc.; preserving fruits; dehydrating foods—pickling; and studying and using different types of canning equipment. The major part of the time will be spent in laboratory work.

Those enrolling for any of the courses may live in the dormitories on the campus during the week of the course for a charge of \$6.00. Reservations should be made through Iona Berry, dean of women, on or before May 25.

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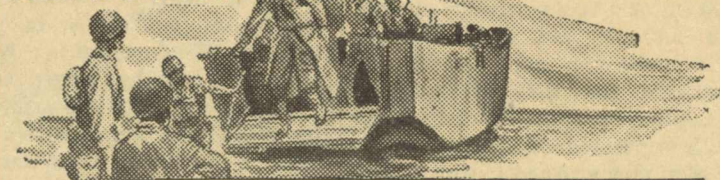
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NORMALITES IN THE SERVICES

This week The Current Sauce inaugurates a new feature composed of notes about Normalites now serving in the armed forces. All local students, faculty members and townspeople are urged to contribute information for use in this column. Any news about the location, activities, promotion, etc., of students connected with the college in recent years will be welcomed.

Mr. Paul "Doc" Marx, former head of the Department of Physical Education, and two former students, "Mutt" Slade and Earl Williamson, are tenting in the same general area at Keesler Field, Miss.

F-Lt. John M. Norris, Jr. Spends Leave Here

F.-Lt. Jno. M. Norris, Jr., arrived from Camp Roberts, California, on Saturday, March 6, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Norris, and their family and his grandmother, Mrs. W. P. Jones. He also visited relatives and friends in Shreveport, Bastrop and Hall Summit. This is Lt. Norris' first visit to his home state since last April when he received his commission. Since then he has been stationed at Camp Roberts, California as instructor in the U. S. Army, Anti Tank Division.

Lieut. James E. Bell Receives Decoration for Meritorious Service

Lieut. James E. Bell, who is somewhere in North Africa, received a medal for meritorious service the latter part of February, according to news received by his twin sisters, Misses Lillian and Maxine Bell, last week. He stated that he was one of 150 to receive the distinguished decoration. It is also interesting to note that he has recently received letters from home and twenty copies of the Natchitoches Times, which he said seemed like a breath from home.

Aviation Cadet Pat Lawney Transferred to Walnut Ridge, Arkansas

Aviation Cadet Pat Lawney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawney of this city has recently been transferred to Walnut Ridge, Arkansas, from Clarksdale, Miss. where he will receive advanced training in the U. S. Air Corps.

John M. Hopper Leaves for Service

John M. Hopper, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hopper, left on March 8, for New Orleans where he entered medical school. He was accepted in medical school as a reserve since last October, having completed three years of pre-med college work. He recently reported for service. He is the fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. Hopper to enter the service.

Master Sgt. Walter P. Ledet Receives Commission

Master Sgt. Walter P. Ledet, received his commission as second lieutenant, U. S. Army Air Corps, from the Officers Candidate School, Miami, Florida, recently. He returned to Natchitoches for a few days stay with his wife and son at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Bath left last week-end for Lafayette where he is stationed at the Army Air Base there. Mrs. Ledet and their small son, Walter, Jr., accompanied him to Lafayette.

John Duco, Jr., Now Stationed at Treasure Island

Friends of John Duco, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Duco of Hanna will be interested to learn that he is now a member of the

U. S. Naval Hospital Staff stationed at Treasure Island, San Francisco, Calif. He is a former student of the college, having made his home in Natchitoches with his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Brown, for several years while attending college.

John Dennis Gathright at Northwestern State College

John Dennis Gathright, 23, son of Mrs. J. D. Gathright of Natchitoches, has arrived at Northwestern State College, at Alva, Okla., for a course of Army Air Force instruction lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as an Aviation Cadet in the Army Air Forces.

Lt. (jg) William C. Culp Promoted to Lieutenant

The promotion of Lieut. (jg) William C. Culp, U. S. Naval Reserve to Lieutenant was announced Monday by the Office of Public Relations of the Eighth Naval District. Lieutenant Culp is a former resident of Natchitoches and a member of the Normal College faculty.

Pvt. Faris E. Michael, Jr. Spends Week-end Furlough at Home

Pvt. Faris E. Michael, Jr., who is stationed at Sheppard Field,

Texas, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Faris E. Michael. Pvt. Michael volunteered in the air corps and entered the service in December.

FORMER STUDENTS LOST IN ACTION

Two former students of the college were reported lost in air action on two widely separated fronts last week. Second Lieut. C. C. Brandenburg, Jr., of Benton, has been missing in action in the European theatre of war since Feb. 26 and Sgt. Edward Ayers, of Ringgold, was killed in an aircraft accident while on combat duty in New Guinea on Dec. 5.

Lieut. Brandenburg graduated from Normal in 1936. He volunteered for the air forces in December, 1941 at Barksdale field. Since Jan. 1, 1943, he has been stationed in both North Africa and England.

Sgt. Ayers attended Normal from 1936 to 1938. He enlisted in the air corps at Barksdale Field on Sept. 30, 1939. In September, 1942, his parents were notified that he was in Australia. His death was announced Dec. 9, 1942.

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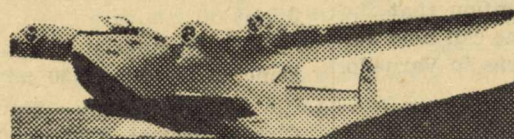


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Monroe

Minutes; Announcements; Reports of Officers; Reports of Branch Presidents.

3:30 p. m.—

Leadership Conference
Social Studies, Mrs. May Lee Denham of Baton Rouge
International Relations, Mrs. C. C. Henson of New Orleans.

5:00 p. m.—

Adjournment
Meeting of the Executive Board.
7:00 p. m.—
Social Half Hour, the Student Center.

7:30 p. m.—

Dinner in the private dining room of the Student Center
Invocation, Mrs. Clarence Dugdale of Natchitoches

Welcome, President Joe Farrar
Response, Mrs. George E. Allen, of New Orleans

Music, Mrs. Lillian G. McCook of Natchitoches

Address, Great Literature and the Emergency, Dr. Mildred G. Christian of Newcomb College, New Orleans.

Saturday, March 27

The Little Theatre, Fine Arts Building

8:30 a. m.—

Registration

WESLEY FOUNDATION

For the past few weeks Christian students have turned their attention to world conditions. They have been particularly interested in the reconstruction of the world. These Christian students believe that our future world will have to be built upon a Christian basis in order to insure success. The necessary qualifications for such a world were brought out in the discussion from six thirty to seven o'clock, Sunday evening at the Methodist Church.

A week ago a comparison was made of Communism and Fascism—two outstanding forms tried in recent years. People have always been trying to find the best type of world government. In the discussion there was a consideration of Christian democracy versus Communism and Fascism. Last Sunday evening Jane Davis presented the challenge of world democracy. She discussed the struggle of the United States in establishing a Federal union during the early colonial days, and the possibility of a world commonwealth of nations. She challenged the students with the question of "What kind of a world do you want? How are you as students willing to sacrifice toward making such a government possible?"

In the discussion that followed her talk, suggestions were made that the students needed to be informed about world conditions, they needed to know of the various plans being suggested for world peace, they needed to shake themselves out of their self-centeredness, and they should give themselves to the task of building the Christian democracy on their own campus. The *Motive Magazine* was suggested as an excellent source of information about world conditions.

The Sunday morning program has been reorganized for the spring. Beginning next Sunday morning Miss Catherine Winters will meet with the Freshmen and the Sophomores. She will teach a course concerning the great characters of the Bible. Miss Mamie J. Chandler will lead the Juniors and the Seniors in a Bible study. This will be at the student class which meets at the Methodist Church on Sunday morning at nine forty-five.



A short one-act play, full of suspense and hidden meanings, was enacted in Varnado Hall the other night to the amusement of both the regular employees and the usual quota of kibitzers at the main desk. The characters are a local male senior and a keeper of the desk. A young lady and a cadet play a central role although they do not appear on the stage. The young man entered and timidly approached the desk where, after several minutes of fidgeting he timidly inquired, "May I ask you if someone is signed out?" Being assured that he would be allowed to do so, he still more timidly croaked that it was Noella Lyons that he was checking up on. The keeper of the desk regretfully informed him that Miss Lyons was out with a cadet. Of course, you will have guessed by now that the disillusioned young man who fought his way out through the booby trap that is the front door of Varnado Hall was Gary Fournet.

And Thetis Treadwell proclaims that the campus is overflowing with material for Satan's Satire. By that she is probably referring to the journey which she and Cotton Meagher made to Varnado Hall at something past 10:30 a few weeks ago. To the almost blind they may have appeared to have been an average couple strolling in from a date but one with even far worse than 20-20 vision would have noted the night watchman who tenderly convoyed them in. The incident all began when the hyper-observant guardian of the public morals got a close-up of Cotton and Thetis saying goodnight—with gestures.

Our reputation as sooth-sayers should be quite firmly established since Virginia Martin came through to uphold our prediction that Willard Hollenshead was about to chump off the deep end. What even we couldn't foresee, though, was the fact that it was a double-barrelled penning. Now the fair 'Ginny is bowed 'neath the weight of two pens and Holly is out the price of two boxes of stogies.

While on the subject of penning, we observe that Don Smith has also decided that his blue and gold frat pen matches his golden-haired sweetheart's tresses too well to have them separated.

And the grapevine is buzzing with the news that at least one local social fraternity has its wig wa'm over the idea that it must sponsor a play party. Play parties, the gentlemen hold, are alright in their place, i. e. in the remotest hot spot of the Blue Ridge mountains, but they scorn the idea that the green and white banner will ever float over a function so (and we quote) "ickey" (corny) as the aforementioned gala gatherings.

And while on controversial subjects we might mention that the big question in Kemp Tucker's life is whether or not he can hold Joy Lea Davis. According to those who peek into date rooms in Varnado, he can!

Our vote for a leader among the on-again, off-again couples on the campus goes to A. C. Willys and Rosemary Watts.

Since we moved into the office formerly occupied by the Potpourri alone, we can't help being good neighbors and boring you with notices from the yearbook gang. For instance, they're raising a howl to the effect that the organizations around here oughta have a heart and rush their payments on Potpourri space into the office. Then too, E. P. Dobson is anticipating an Air Corps call and observes that all students wanting photographs or reprints made had better hustle before he's developing horsepower instead of horse faces.

COLLEGE STUDENTS INVITED TO SUBMIT WAR BOND PLAYS IN TREASURY DEPT. CONTEST

Students of any college or university are eligible to enter a play writing contest announced by the Women's Section of the War Savings Staff of the Treasury last week. War bonds and the people who buy them should be the subject of scripts submitted, and the winners will receive the Treasury Special Award of Merit for distinguished service to the War Savings Programs.

Scripts will be judged locally by the heads of drama departments, and the winning entry of each school will be sent to Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Chief of the Special Activities Unit of the Women's Section. Closing date of the contest is April 1, and scripts must all be submitted by April 10. Winners will be announced on May 15.

Heading the panel of four judges who will pick the winning

plays is Margo Jones, of the University of Texas Department of Drama. Other members are Mrs. Morgenthau, Hallie Flanagan Davis of Smith, and Barrett H. Clark of the Dramatists Play Service.

The winning scripts will be made available to non-commercial theatre groups on request.

Campus Etiquette

Don't congregate just outside doorways and form bottlenecks. Others need to get out too.

Don't congregate outside classrooms and chatter just before classes. The class you disturb needs your help—they might be taking important notes on assignments.

If you must smoke in buildings (and it's against college regulations and fire laws to do it), at least don't grind your cigarettes out on the floor.

Faculty Members To Attend Annual Speech Meet

Three local faculty members will attend the annual convention of the Southern Association of Teachers of Speech in Jackson, Mississippi next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 25-27. All three, Miss Annetta Wood, Miss Thera Stovall, and Miss Clio Allen, will take an active part on the convention program.

This will be the first year that local students have not participated in the college forensic tournament held immediately prior to the professional meeting. Last year Misses Billie Cheves and Adelaide Smith won second place in the senior women's division of the debate tournament and several other students participated in individual speaking contests.

Miss Wood will attend the convention as an official Louisiana delegate and Misses Stovall and Allen will address sections of the convention. Miss Stovall will discuss the teaching of rhetoric to undergraduate students while Miss Allen will review old and new materials in teaching group discussions.

College Calendar

Saturday, March 20

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Play Party, 8:30-11:00 p.m.

Student Center: Phi Kappa Nu Dance, 8:30-11:45 p.m.

Monday, March 22

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

Auditorium: Naval Recreational Sing, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 23

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Social Dancing Lessons, 6:30 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

BSU Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, March 24

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

S300: Euthenics Club Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Social Dancing Lessons, 6:30 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 25

Normal Wells: Weiner Roast—Pi Delta Epsilon, 5:00-8:00 p.m.

Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Social Dancing Lessons, 6:30 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Y House: Senior Cabinet YWCA Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Theta Sigma Upsilon Is Lone Sorority To Submit Grades For Fall Average

Theta Sigma Upsilon sorority was the only social-educational Greek-letter organization for women on the campus to submit grades for the compilation of averages for the fall semester. Miss Leora Blair stated this week. Other sororities failed to submit grades as is customary. The Theta Sig average is 1.46.

Local Religious Groups Cooperating With National Wartime Councils

A branch of the War Emergency Council, national religious organization, has been formed on the local campus to facilitate governmental clearances concerning Christian work with men and women trainees on campuses, and to provide for the correlation of program, literature, speakers and other aspects of the wartime religious program, according to an announcement by Miss Mamie J. Chandler this week.

The services of both the War Emergency Council and the Inter-Religious Council, and organization of all faiths, are being made available to local campus religious groups, Miss Chandler stated. The Inter-Religious Council has secured the full cooperation of both the Army and Navy. Both branches of the service have indicated that they expect a full continuation of present religious agencies.

Communique, a bulletin of the War Emergency Council containing wartime information for student Christian work, is being received regularly by both Miss Chandler and Miss Josephine Harris, Secretary of Baptist student work on the campus.

SATURDAY — 9c and 22c

Roy Rogers

GEO. "GABBY" HAYS
in
"IDAHO"

SUNDAY, MONDAY
and TUESDAY
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George S. Kaufman • Produced by Sam Harris
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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
BARGAIN DAY
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"Something to Sing About"

COMING MARCH 28-29-30
JAMES CAGNEY
in
"Yankee Doodle Dandy"

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FIRE PREVENTION PROGRAM ORGANIZED

Students Contribute Over \$250.00 To Red Cross War Fund Drive

The students and cadets on the campus contributed approximately \$255 to the Red Cross War Fund Drive according to figures compiled here yesterday. Of this amount, approximately \$150 came from the students.

West Varnado was responsible for approximately one-third of the total student body contribution, according to figures released yesterday. The West Varnado group contributed \$50 to the drive with groups of girls canvassing each room. The East Varnado total was \$12.35.

The total campus contributions came to approximately \$2,100.00 with students, cadets, faculty, and staff contributing.

Results on other girls' dormitories are as follows:

Old Social, \$3.75; Co-op, \$14.33; "C", \$17.90; and "D", \$22.34.

College Calendar

Saturday, March 27

Private Dining Room Student Center: A.A.U.W. Dinner, 12:15 p.m.

Little Theatre: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.
Little Theater: A.A.U.W. Meeting, 8:00 a.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Play Party, 8:30-11:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 28

Normal Wells: Picnic — Phi Mu Alpha, 2:00-5:30 p.m.

Monday, March 29

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

Auditorium: Recreational Sing, 6:30-7:00 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 30

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

BSU Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, March 31

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Thursday, April 1

Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Little Theater: Junior Dramatic Club Rehearsal, 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Y House: General YWCA Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 2

Little Theater: "One Mad Night", presented by Junior Dramatics Club, 8:00 p.m.

Chemistry Prof. Joe Webb Becomes Father

A son, Randall Joseph Webb, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Webb at the Corkern Hospital Clinic on Saturday, March 20. Mr. Webb is a member of the college faculty.

Reservists Asked To Take Army- Navy Test Apr. 2

A. T. Browne, college co-ordinator for the armed forces, announced Thursday that Colonel E. A. Keyes, of the 8th Corps Area is strongly urging all local reservists to take the Army-Navy screening test which is to be given here Friday, April 2. Any other youth, whether a member of any of the reserve corps or not, who is between the ages of 17 and 22 may take the test. The test will probably not be given again for at least six months, it was announced.

Those desiring to take the test will not be allowed to do so unless they have first secured application blanks from Mr. Browne. The test will be given in Warren Easton Hall, beginning at 9:00 and ending at 11:00 o'clock on the morning of Friday, April 2. No student will be allowed to enter the test room after the test has begun.

Under the original plan only those students who would have attained their 17th and not their 20th birthdays by July 1, 1943, were eligible to take the tests. In addition all men enlisted in any branch of the armed services were not eligible to take the examinations.

New age eligibility rules received Wednesday are: "(a) All male students who are between their seventeenth and twenty-second birthdays and (b) all male students who have graduated or will graduate from secondary schools by July 1, 1943."

In regard to further eligibility the rules are: "All students who are members of the Enlisted Reserve Corps are eligible, and are urged, to take the examination scheduled for 9 a. m., April 2, 1943, to qualify them for participation in the Army Specialized Program or the Navy College Training Program. They have choice of programs, Army or Navy. Enlisted Reserve Corps students taking the test should clearly indicate Enlisted Reserve Corps status on answer sheet."

The tests to be given on the college campus here next week are designed to furnish the following information useful to the Army and Navy in: (a) selecting students for college training under the Army and Navy College Training Program and (b) classifying all others in respect to relative trainability.

Gwendolyn Sylvest Accepts Teaching Position In Mansfield

Gwendolyn Sylvest, prominent local senior, left the college last week to accept a position in the social studies department of Mansfield High School, Mansfield La. Miss Sylvest was president of the local chapter of Phi Alpha Theta, national honorary history fraternity.

'One Mad Night' To Be Presented Here Friday

By JIMMY LOU

With blood-curdling screams, muffled gun shots, and ghosts galore, the mystery-comedy "One Mad Night" goes into rehearsal. The Little Theatre is being converted into a haunted house with all the trimmings, and the Junior Dramatics Club changing from intelligent college students (?) to a troupe of maniacs. The play proceeds nightly, with startled looks from passersby and dirty looks from practicing music majors.

The story is in the best tradition of such famous thrillers as "The Bat", and "The Cat and the Canary". The theme revolves around the visit of a certain young play-wright, Don Cutter, to the home of his youth, only to find it in the clutches of a certain sinister character, "Dr. Bunn" and his band of mental cases, among them John Alden, Priscilla, Mr. Hyde (of the famous team of Jekyll and Hyde) and Lady Macbeth who "Out Damned Spots" all over the place. The situation shows definite complications when Danny Siletto, an escaped murderer, accidentally appears on the scene.

From there the plot thickens, and one can make his guesses as to the climax. It is to be presented Saturday, April 3 in the Little Theatre Auditorium at 8:00 and the cast promises to show that plenty can happen in "One Mad Night."

Army Reservists Called From Three Colleges

The members of the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps of three widely separated colleges were called to active duty last weekend, according to student newspapers received here this week. No local members of the Enlisted Reserve Corps have been called since Norman Hanchey was ordered to Camp Beauregard three weeks ago.

The ERC members were called out from Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kansas; Millsaps College, Jackson, Mississippi; and Guilford College, North Carolina. They reported to induction centers in their respective states.

Alumni Office Compiling Addresses of Students In Armed Forces

The Alumni Office is compiling a list of alumni in the armed forces, with their present addresses, and other pertinent information. All students are requested to turn in any such information they have.

Letters sent out recently asking this information of parents have been answered very enthusiastically and a large percentage of replies has resulted.

First Drill To Be Held Within Next Two Weeks; All Students, Faculty Members Must Participate

Student Fire Committees Appointed For Dormitories

Beginning with a fire drill scheduled for some time during the next two weeks, an extensive fire prevention program is to be carried on on the campus, J. W. Webb, chairman of a faculty fire prevention committee announced this week. The program is the result of a year's work by a faculty committee appointed to study the problem and will include as an important part of its organization a student fire committee for each dormitory.

Eight Students Named to Special Library Board

Eight students, two from each class, have been appointed as members of a special Student Library Advisory Committee, it was announced this week. The committee was appointed by the Student Council and Eugene Watson, Librarian.

Selected to make recommendations for improved library service, the students are: Janet Shively and Myrtis Simpson, seniors; Rose Marie McMullan and Billie Elston, juniors; Alice Collier and Carl Benton, sophomores; and Jimmie Slawson and Betty Jean Henry, freshmen.

The group will meet for the first time at 12:45 p. m. on Tuesday, April 30.

"Reading Hour" Big Success At College Library

The first Reading Hour, a monthly feature inaugurated by the Department of Languages, was well received last Friday afternoon when Miss Annetta Wood of the Speech faculty read three Louisiana stories.

Meetings, which are open to students, faculty, staff members, and townspeople, will be held in the Browsing Room of the Library on the third Friday afternoon of each month at five o'clock.

Miss Wood's selections were Ruth McEnery Stuart's "Moriah's Mourning," G. W. Cable's "Jean-Ah Poquelin," and Ada Jack Carver's "Redbone."

Potpourri Work Is Complete

Work on the 1943 Potpourri was completed this week, according to E. P. Dobson, editor. Only two pages of copy needed to be finished because all the rest was sent in some time ago.

Students leaving school before the delivery date of the annual are urged to make arrangements with friends to secure and mail their copies. There will be no one left on the staff to wrap and mail out copies then, said Dobson.

The yearbook will be issued sometime in May.

The first fire drill, to be held during the next two weeks, may be held during a class period or at 2 o'clock in the morning, Mr. Webb pointed out. Other fire drills are to be held twice a month while the college is in session.

The fire alarm whistle at the college power plant will be one long blast and should not be confused with the alert for an air raid alarm which is several short blasts of the college power plant whistle. The all-clear signal will be one short blast of the whistle.

All students, faculty and administrative staff members will be absolutely required to vacate all buildings on the campus when the fire alarm is sounded, Mr. Webb declared today. Any violations of this rule will be placed before college authorities.

The record of each building during the fire drill will be submitted to college officials, to the fire insurance company and to the State Board of Education on special fire drill reports worked out by the local college committee. The report will include the time the drill began and its termination.

L.S.U. Scholarship Open To Local Senior Students

Students who have a "B" average for their junior and senior years here and who are interested in graduate work may apply for the Louisiana State University scholarship which is annually awarded to a graduate of the Normal, Dr. Sarah L. C. Clapp announced this week. The scholarship carries a stipend of \$270 for the academic year and the holder is exempt from all University fees except the diploma fee.

No seniors have yet made application for the scholarship which requires that the student have a "B" average for the junior and as much of the senior year as has been completed at the time of his consideration. Students are nominated by the college faculty.

Application for the scholarship should be made to Dr. Clapp. The application must be in writing and must state the intended field of study. All interested students are asked to act at once as the nomination is to be forwarded to L. S. U. by April 15.

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NORMALITES IN THE SERVICES

H. Lee Prather, Jr. Stationed in Kansas With Air Forces

H. Lee Prather, Jr., son of Coach H. L. Prather, is now an aviation cadet at Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia, Kansas. Prather was in his last semester at the college when he resigned to enter the air forces two weeks after the opening of the present semester. He was a member of Lambda Zeta Fraternity.

His address is:
a-c Henry L. Prather, Jr.
ASN 18137480
Air Crew Det., K.S.T.C. Sq. B.
Emporia, Kansas

Former Student Prexy In Service At California Naval Hospital

Oneil Decoteau, President of the Student Body Association last year, is stationed at the U. S. Navy Hospital in San Diego, Calif. Decoteau entered the Navy last summer after graduating from the college in May and was assigned to the California hospital shortly after his enlistment. He was a member of Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity and a local and national officer of the Newman Club.

Bartow Hodge Visits Campus; Transferred To Georgia

Lt. Bartow Hodge, former student, visited the college on Saturday, March 13 while en route to Lawson Field, Ft. Benning, Ga., where he is now stationed. Lt. Hodge left the college to enlist in the air forces during the spring of 1942.

Cpl. Dwight MacCurdey Is With Signal Corps In Virginia

Dwight MacCurdey, who attended the college from September, 1939 until the spring of 1942, is now a Corporal with the Army Signal Corps at Warrenton, Va. Cpl. MacCurdey resigned from the college to accept a government position as an interpreter. He was a member of Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity.

C. H. Rogers Visits Here; Receives Commission In Naval Air Corps

Ensign C. H. Rogers, Jr., of Natchitoches, visited his home and the college this week before returning to New Orleans where he is stationed. Rogers was commissioned in the Naval Air Corps recently. He attended the college from September, 1939 until May, 1941.

Don Mike Stothart To Be Inducted On Wednesday, April 7

Don Mike Stothart, recently resigned sophomore at the college, was notified yesterday that he is ordered to report to Camp Beauregard on Wednesday, April 7 for induction into the armed forces. Stothart, a member of the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps, resigned from school and applied for immediate active duty three weeks ago.

Kent Buckingham Now In Flight Training At Kelly Field

Kent Buckingham, Editor of the 1942 Potpourri, is now receiving flight training in the Army Air Corps at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas. He was stationed there in December when he was ordered to active duty with the air forces. Buckingham was a member of Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity.

His address is:
a-c Kent Buckingham,
Sq. 113, Flight I
AAFCC--SAACC
Kelly Field, San Antonio, Tex.

Lieut. A. Buford Sutton Receives Promotion

Lieut. A. Buford Sutton, 21 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. C. Sutton of Natchitoches, was promoted to First Lieutenant in February. He received his commission as Second Lieutenant, U. S. Marine Air Corps, on Sept. 1, 1942, at Corpus Christi, and was sent to Quantico, Virginia, to a school for special intelligence communication. Later he was sent to Centro, Calif., and recently he has received an outstanding honor, being appointed Section Leader.

Lieut. E. G. Pierson Receives Promotion

Lieut. Edgerton Pierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pierson of this city, received his promotion to First Lieutenant, U. S. Army on March 8. Lieut. Pierson now stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark., received his commission as Second Lieutenant from Ft. Benning, Ga., in May, 1942.

Lieut. Chas. G. Stahls Visits Relatives Here

Lieut. Charles G. Stahls, recently commissioned, enroute to the Western Coast, stopped in Natchitoches the past week-end to visit his mother, Mrs. C. C. Stahls, and his sister, Miss Hazel Stahls.

While here he visited many local friends. Paul Stahls, defense worker from Vicksburg, Miss., joined his brother, Lieut. Stahls in Natchitoches for a week-end visit.

Pvt. John F. Pullen, Jr. Graduates As Airplane Mechanic at Keesler Field

Private John F. Pullen, Jr., son of Mrs. J. F. Pullen of Natchitoches, was graduated as an airplane mechanic last week from Keesler Field's B-24 (Liberator Bomber) School, a unit of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command.

Membership Campaign of Local Co-operative Concerts To Be Held Next Week, Tuesday-Saturday

ABSENTEE REPORT

Week March 15-20, 1943

156 students absent from classes
—22.7 per cent of student body
40 men—26.6 per cent of men students
116 women—21.5 per cent of women students
63 Freshmen—31.8 per cent of Freshman Class
36 Sophomores—25.7 per cent of Sophomore Class
30 Juniors — 20.5 per cent of Junior Class
27 Seniors — 13.7 per cent of Senior Class

373 classes missed—3.4 per cent of total number of classes held
118 prearranged and justified—31.6 per cent

211 ill—56.6 per cent
23 not justified—6.1 per cent
6 errors—1.6 per cent
15 tardy—4 per cent

32 called in for conference
9 reported tardy

The annual membership campaign of the Natchitoches Co-operative Concerts Association will be held next week, Tuesday thru Saturday, opening with the Workers' Meeting Monday night, at the Nakatosh Hotel at 7:30.

During the four years that this organization has been in operation in Natchitoches, it has presented the Barre Little Symphony, Erno Balogh, Lucy Monroe, Anatol Kaminsky, Carola Goya, Harriet Henders, Malcom and Godden, Robert Weede, Marcel Hubert, John Tyers, Mildred Dilling, and the Don Cossacks Male Choir.

The variety and quality of these programs cannot be questioned. Open to anyone who wishes to join, membership is \$3.85 for adults and \$1.65 for students, Federal taxes included.

Mrs. Woodruff McCook is general chairman of the campaign, with Mrs. Alfred Ducournau as co-chairman and Mr. Charles Cunningham as chairman of the Normal College. Other committee chairmen are Miss Lotis DeBlieux, Mrs. Marshall Carver, and Mrs. J. H. Walker.

NOTICE

STUDENTS, FACULTY, ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF
MEMBERS

BE ON THE ALERT

For

FIRST FIRE DRILL ON CAMPUS SOON

SIGNAL—ONE LONG BLAST OF POWER HOUSE WHISTLE

All-Clear—One Short Blast

Striking A Responsive Note



Indicative of the spirit with which Americans will respond to the 1943 Red Cross War Fund appeal is this poster by Wendell Kling, noted illustrator. The cheerful individual pictured is proudly displaying the new Red Cross lapel tag, made from paper to help conserve metal for the war effort.

Cane Theatre

SATURDAY
9c and 22c

Don 'Red' Barry

LYNN MERRICK
in
"Dead Man's Gulch"

SUNDAY, MONDAY
and TUESDAY
9c and 28c

James Cagney

Joan Leslie
Walter Huston

Richard Wharf
George Tobias
and Many Others
in

"Yankee Doodle Dandy"

THE PLEASURE IS ENDLESS
AND SO WILL BE THE
CROWD
COME EARLY

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY
BARGAIN DAY
9c and 17c

CLARK GABLE
LANA TURNER
in

"Honky Tonk"

FRIDAY
CASH NITE
9c and 22c

LINDA DARNELL
DORIS DUDLEY
in
"City Without Men"

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'Army' Wins Drill Contest; Keen Rivalry Seen

The "Army" drill squad swept undefeated through a double-elimination tournament in military drill here Wednesday. The contest was judged by one of the Naval officers stationed on the campus in connection with the Naval Flight Preparatory School.

The "Marines" took second-place honors when they defeated the "Navy" squad in the contest for second place. The "Navy" was third, the "Air Corps" came in fourth, and the "Paratroopers" nosed out the "Commandos" for fifth place.

The contest put the "Army" team within one-half point of the "Navy" in general standing

in the intramural program. The "Marines" previously in second place, now trail the "Army" by one-half of a point.

With only two more events remaining before compilation of mid-term averages, the three top teams are separated by only one point while the other three competing squads are far behind. The Navy has amassed 12 points, the Army, 11½, and the Marines, 11. The Air Corps and Commandos have 4 points each while the Paratroopers have credit for 1½ points.

Competition in calisthenics (unlimited) will be conducted Monday and Tuesday, ending the events scheduled for pre-mid-term competition but teams will also be awarded points on attendance records for the first nine weeks.

'Navy' Team Wins Cage Tourney; 'Army' Second

Crashing through with 13 wins out of 15 games staged in round robin style, the "Navy" basketball team won the intramural cage championship at the college here over five other contestants in three sections of play. The "Army" quintets took second place honors in the meet with an average of .600 based on nine victories and six defeats.

Paratroopers Trail

The "Air Corps" squads copped third place with eight wins and seven losses for a percentage of .533; the "Commandos" landed fourth place with seven victories and eight defeats for a .466 standing; the "Marines" came in fifth with six games won against nine losses for a .400 average; and the "Paratroopers" trailed in sixth place with two wins on their cards against 13 defeats for an average of .133.

The "A" quintet of the "Navy" dropped only one contest to the "Army" five to finish in second place in the top bracket of experienced players. The middle flight "B" squad of the "Navy" went undefeated in its class to finish with a perfect record; and the "C" team of the "Navy" boys took four of five games to head the list of the lower bracket quintets.

With an unblemished record in the top rung of "A" teams, the Army quintet finished first, but the "B" and "C" teams representing the "Army" finished second and fifth, respectively, to shove the "Army" quintets into second place in the round robin competition.

Bambrick Tops

Tommy Bambrick, playing on both the "A" and "B" teams for the "Army", was high point man of the tourney with a total of 65 points, in all games. Ed McDermott came in for runner-up individual honors with 61 points

chalked up on the "A" team for the "Marines"; and J. B. Howard, member of the "A" and "B" quintets for the "Commandos" took third place in individual scoring with 55 points.

Other leading scorers include Ocie Richie, "A" team for the "Army", 43 points; Hoyt Reed, "A" team for the "Army", 43 points; Jack Norred, "A" and "B" teams for the "Marines" and Gordon Neely, "C" squad of the "Navy", 38 points each; James Salters, "C" team for the "Air Corps", 31 points; and Phillip Orr, "C" team for the "Marines", 30 points.

Champs Listed

Members of the champion "Navy" teams are: "A" squad: Fay Perkins, Joe Pierson, Theophile Scott, William Haile, Jimmie Dupree, Raymond Ledet, Calvin Murphy and Harven McKinney; "B" team: Raymond Ledet, Carlton Johnson, J. P. Meagher, Harold Tinsley, Calvin Murphy, H. B. Burley, Sherman Tatum and Harven McKinney; "C" quintet: Gordon Gordon Neely, Glynn McLaamore, Clyde Self, John Beard, Bruce Bascoe and Ben Bradford.

The basketball tournament staged by the 18 teams represented in the round robin play was a part of the wartime physical fitness program for men instituted at the State Normal College at the opening of the spring semester. On the cards this week are limited competitive military drill and unlimited calisthenics competition, it was announced by Alvin "Cracker" Brown, acting head of the health and physical education department.

College To Run Farm School

The college here has been selected by the War Manpower Department of Agriculture as a center for a farm labor training school to instruct men in the production of essential wartime foods, S. W. Nelken, head of the Department of Agriculture at the college, announced this week.

Under the new plan at the college here an intensive two-week course in dairying will be offered to a maximum number of 40 men during any one period. The plan calls for new groups to enroll in the course every two weeks until a sufficient number of dairy laborers can be trained to fill the places of those who have been called into the armed forces of the nation or who have been employed in war plants.

The course in dairy produce will include milking, handling of milk, feeding and caring of cows, breeding for milk production, disinfection of equipment, use of power equipment such as tractors, and handling silage. All of the work will be of a practical nature, with the 120-cow dairy at the college used as the laboratory for the course, it was announced. The Farm Security Administration will be charged with the responsibility of transporting the applicants for the course to the school, with the college and the rural war production training section of the state and federal government jointly responsible for the training of the men.

Enrollees in the school which will open next month will be accommodated in the dormitories and dining hall on the college campus. All expenses for the course will be paid by the FSA. Those who complete the course will be given jobs in dairies in the state or in other states provided no places are open in Louisiana, officials stated here this week.

Prints of Bullard Mansion Now On Sale In Book Store

Prints of the old Bullard Mansion, the building of which the columns were originally a part, are now on sale in the college book store, it was announced this week. The prints were copied from an oil painting which appeared in the 1912 Potpourri. Students and other interested persons may purchase these prints for seventy-five cents.

Naval Aviation Training Still Open to 17-Year-Olds

From a statement issued by Lt. Commander L. C. Priestman, Officer-in-Charge, of the Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board at New Orleans, it was learned that a limited number of seventeen year-old high school seniors and graduates will be accepted for Naval Aviation training until at least June 30. It seems likely that applications will be accepted after June 30, but at the present time no quotas have been set for later than that date.

Under present conditions boys who are enlisted in V-5 before April 15 will have an opportunity to qualify for the Navy's V-12 program which will give them an additional year or more at college before they begin their flight training.

Books An' Stuff

Books found on the new book shelf in the Library:

Carroll: *We're in This with Russia*. (A sane approach to a vital issue.)

Kotschig: *Slaves Need No Leaders*. (An answer to the Fascist challenge to education.)

Whittlesey: *German Strategy of World Conquest*. (A book packed with dynamite—the dynamite of truth.)

Quaife: *The Flag of the United States*. (A timely book.)

Chamberlain: *Fair Is Our Land*. (An illustrated panorama of the U. S. A.)

Harrison: *Reading for Ideas*. (A potent book.)

MacGregor: *The Aircraft Apprentice*. (Aircraft manufacturing as a career.)

Meyer: *Needed—Women in Government Service*. (A timely book.)

Winn-Smith: *Thrifty Cooking for Wartime*. (A book which faces the realities of rationing.)

Jordan: *You and Marriage*. (How to win and hold a mate.)

Eligible boys who are interested in Naval Aviation should write the Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board, 910 Canal Building, New Orleans for complete information on how to make an application.

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Fire Drill—

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tion, call downs, or other disciplinary problems, rating as to noise, and the success of the drill in the opinion of the chairman of each building.

Mrs. Iona Berry, a member of the faculty fire prevention committee has appointed student committees for each of the six girls' dormitories on the campus. The Navy Flight Preparatory School here has perfected plans for clearing all buildings used by the cadets when a fire alarm is sounded.

Dormitory fire committees selected by Mrs. Berry are:

East Varnado: Anne Lea Colle, fire chief; Herlena LeBlanc, Helen Clay, Janet Shively, Evelyn Rutledge, Gretchen McLean, Verdine Gremillion, Anna Belle Landry, firemen; Stella Susan Edgerton, Willie Edna Tarbutton, Charline Killgore, Kathrine Scott, Peggy Myers, doorkeepers.

West Varnado: Ida Simpson, fire chief; Hope Grissom, Frances Gibson, Jean Vosburg, Gloria Bernard, Melba Law, Betty Byram, Vicky Sansing, firemen; Esther George, Jerry Love, Linda O'Bier, Nora Alice McCants, Helen Hill, doorkeepers.

"C" Dormitory: Marie Miller, fire chief; Virginia Loomis, Alice Collier, Marguerite Monks, Freddie Welch, Marjorie McLeod, Claire Russell, Maurine Hotsclaw, Jo Ann Faith, firemen; Mary Evelyn Durden, Grace Sanson, Maurine Neel, doorkeepers.

"D" Dormitory: Frances Sharp, fire chief; Marion Morgan, Shirley Babin, Betty Folse, Marguerite Perkins, Marion Marse, Elizabeth Reynolds, Ollie Smith, Carolyn Russell, firemen; Lottie Tarver, Annette Alderman, Bernice Stephens, doorkeepers.

Co-op Dormitory: Jeanette Slaid, fire chief; Ila Nichols, Jeanette Love, Vera Faye Parker, firemen; Leola Broadway, Lois Williams, Vera Honeycutt, doorkeepers.

Old Social Dormitory: Novice Frye, fire chief; Evelyn Walker, Jaunita Lee, firemen; Joy Linzay, Mary Lynn Seegers, doorkeepers.

As a preliminary move in the fire prevention program at the college, a detailed survey of every building on the campus was made by a special subcommittee composed of Lorane Brittain, G. J. Shehane, and S. T. Hatcher to determine all fire hazards and to make recommendations to the proper authorities.

Specific plans setting forth how each building on the campus should be evacuated in case of fire were then worked out in minute form and placed in all classrooms.

Lastly, a thorough educational program including what to do in case of a fire, protection of life in case of fire, and fire hazards was carried out in the dormitories on the campus. At an early date all instructors will be requested to inform their classes regarding the proper methods of evacuating a building in case of fire.

Officials announced this week that plans are being made to have a visiting speaker appear before the student body and faculty twice a year to lecture on the importance of fire prevention. The first lecture will probably be given during the latter part of the spring semester, it was stated.



With spring lightly turning all over the place, there has been considerable extra-curricular activity hereabouts recently, to-wit:

And for an in-a-word description of those unannounced, pop-tests which some professors are so fond of giving we choose "Quiz-ling". Or perhaps (for those who remember "William Tell") you could call them "Guesslers".

The cadets were supposed to have altered the boy-girl ratio on the campus but a brief survey of Second Street Sunday afternoon proved that the situation is not so changed that freshmen cannot still date august senior women students. For instance we saw cherubic Ben Bradford proudly escorting senior Helen Clay to the flickers while Bailey Winderweedle flapped his romantic wings in the company of the stern and serpent-tongued major domo of the main desk of Varnado, Mary Ann Ogden.

The romance of Happy Keegan and Larry Townsend has, to our way of thinking, become more serious in a shorter time than any we've ever witnessed outside the movie houses.

John Beard would prove interesting to any psychologist—or physiologist either, for that matter. He is unbelievable in either field. Right now John is earnestly attempting to strengthen his tremendously wilted reputation as a Casanova of the Campus. We can understand that John has probably been repeating reassurances to himself since he was practically left at the altar recently. It does seem, though, that he would realize that he can't fool the public. For instance, none of the field house loungers were fooled recently when John told them, confidentially of course, that Myrtis Simpson was—and probably still is—simply wild about him. (John) but that he had magnanimously stepped out of the picture when Warren Allen began to show interest. We'll take that with more salt than there is in Warren's home town of Winnfield.

Add new couples: Don Egbert Fuelhart and Betty Coffman, one-time property of Alden Vige.

The boys in St. Laundry Hall are issuing a complaint against one of their number. Ocie "Gabby" Richie, they say, is disturbing their sleep each night when he flings wildly into the room about the time that roosters and dairymen are called from their slumbers. He is regularly accompanied on his owlish prowls by Francis Ledet.

This tender scene proves something or other. 'Twas a rainy night and the drawing room of Varnado was crowded by couples awaiting taxis or mustering courage to brave the humidity when a local coed and a sheepish looking Marine separated themselves from the throng and approached the main desk telephone. It was obvious that the young lady was being gentle but very firm about the entire thing. With a pleading glance or two, the Marine picked up the phone and called his roomy at the barracks.

"Hello Joe. Yeah . . . Joe, you know that picture that's in my dresser? Well how about bringing it when you come over—I was supposed to, but it kinda slipped my mind."

With that, he hung up, received a tight-lipped but approving smile and pat on the shoulder from his date and the two of them joined the crowd in the drawing room.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

The Wesley Foundation has planned a very interesting program for students for the remainder of the spring semester. On Sunday mornings Miss Katherine Winters will give a course to Freshmen and Sophomores in "Great Characters of the Bible." Miss Winters is at her best in the presentation of biography, and these students have an interesting hour to look forward to on Sunday mornings at 9:45 at the Methodist Church.

Miss Mamie Chandler will lead the Juniors and Seniors in a study of the Bible. This will be a very informal study, with opportunity for questions and discussion.

On Sunday evenings the stu-

dent group will have a series of discussions on the Church's part in a Just and Durable Peace. The subject for this Sunday will be "Why Talk About Peace Before We Win the War." The discussion will be led by Rose Langenstein, assisted by several other students, from 6:30 to 7:30 in the Annex of the Methodist Church.

Special Lenten Meditations are being conducted by Miss Mamie Chandler, director of the Wesley Foundation, in the Chapel of the Student Religious Center on the campus. Music is played for these services on the organ, by Mary Evelyn Durden. Special invitations are sent to all Methodist students and a cordial invitation is given to any who are interested to attend these Lenten Meditations.

CAPITAL TO CAMPUS

What Kind of College Credit For War Service?

When today's collegians come home from the wars to resume their education, they are virtually assured of real academic credit for their experience and training in service.

That idea is not new. Veterans of 1918 got credit when they came back. But the way American colleges and universities go about it this time may be new and much better.

At the end of the first World War, colleges lavished credit on students returning from service. It was "blanket credit" then. The amount depended only on time served under arms or rank at demobilization.

Of course such "blanket credit" had nothing to do with educational achievement or competence. Indeed, colleges vied with each other in the amount of credit granted the returning heroes.

To the veterans, however, this enthusiasm was hardly a boon. Many were assigned to academic levels beyond their reach and promptly flunked out. In other cases, there was no adequate recognition of increased competence.

When peace comes this time, leading educators are determined, it's going to be different.

Service men and women have at least four broad educational opportunities while in uniform. There are hundreds of technician and officer candidate schools. Almost half of all enlisted personnel go to one or another. The Armed Forces Institute, cooperating with 79 colleges and universities, offers off-duty education by correspondence. Orientation courses and informal off-duty instruction in camp recreation programs likewise have marked educational value.

The problem of educators is to appraise such educational experience objectively and to grant credit that does justice to educational standards and competence of the veteran. Machinery to do this has been blueprinted and approved by important institutions.

The plan would work simply. On demobilization, a soldier, WAAC or other service man or woman would apply to the Armed Forces Institute for examination and guidance. The Institute would obtain full information on the person's record, then test him to measure his educational competence and specialized achievements.

Results would go to the college of his choice with recommendations for placing the student where he belongs.

The idea isn't in operation yet, despite approval of many colleges, regional accrediting associations and the armed services. The spectre of chaotic "blanket credit" still haunts responsible educators.

The suggested credit program can become effective only if and when colleges take individual and group action to make it effective. The American Council on Education is giving leadership to the drive to see that the program takes hold before it's too late. The Council is plugging for immediate action opposing "blanket credit" and approving the alternative program which was lacking in 1918.

The issue is being faced on a small scale already, the Council

points out. Casualty cases are being demobilized—in numbers now a military secret. Chances are many more such cases will be seeking readmission to colleges before long.

When general demobilization comes, the Council says, it will be too late to block another move for "blanket credit." The battle must be won on every campus now.

Help Wanted

Demand for accounting and auditing assistants has become so great in Washington that the government will hire any person with two years' education in accounting at any time and without a written examination. The pay is \$2433 a year, including overtime.

There are numerous new opportunities for men and women with two or more years' technical education in agriculture, too. Laboratory and field positions are opening in Washington and throughout the country at \$1970 to \$2433 a year. There's no written test for these jobs, either.

Other technical jobs are available to those with a single year of appropriate college study in chemistry, geology, geophysics, mathematics, metallurgy, meteorology, physics or radio.

Education Elsewhere

This business of being a master race isn't as simple as it looks. For instance, you have to acquire a little knowledge to supplement inborn superiority before your inferiors notice the difference. Also, your mastery may slip away from you and need recreating later on.

Or so it seems from Nazi actions in Poland, reported through channels that may not be disclosed for security reasons. There Nazi officials are undertaking re-education of Polish children of German origin to make them appear superior to the Poles.

As the Nazi governor of the Radom administrative district put it: "The Germans in this country must acquire a certain amount of knowledge in order to appear superior. Although their German ancestors once came here as superiors, the German spirit must be created anew. The German children who become Poles must again be re-educated as Germans."

There's a new prerequisite for admission to Croatian universities, according to the Nazi-controlled Zagreb newspaper, Hrvatski Narod. No girl student will be admitted to any university unless she can offer proof of 12 months' service in the Nazi female labor service.

Women Seniors To Be Accepted As Wave Officer Candidates

Women college seniors may now be accepted as officer candidates in the WAVES and the SPARS—Coast Guard Women's Reserve—the Navy Department announced last week. As in the case of the WAAC's—which have already started recruiting officers among college seniors—seniors who enter the naval forces will not be called to active duty until they have been graduated.

In apply for an appointment, a college senior must present a certificate and an endorsement from a special faculty endorsing committee which the Navy has already asked each college to set up. This committee will recommend students on the basis of "outstanding scholastic achievement, leadership in extracurricular activities, and personal qualifications for officer status," according to a Navy Department release.

HOWELL, VIGE IN RACE FOR PRESIDENCY

Normal To Participate In U. S. Armed Forces Tests

The United States armed forces institute has selected the college to participate in a program of establishing educational standards for tests to be given men and women in the armed forces of the nation when they leave the service, President Joe Farrar announced this week.

Tests in English, speech, social studies, natural science, literature and mathematics will be given students at the college here near the termination of their study of these subjects this session, officials stated. The norms established at the state college here and at the other institutions in which the tests are given will be used in determining the college level of those now serving in the armed forces after the war.

It was pointed out here that the purposes of the comprehensive examination program promoted by the armed forces institute are to help the schools and colleges ascertain the level at which students returning from military service are capable of carrying on successfully in a program of general education and to enable the returning student to secure due

LIBRARY TO BE CLOSED SUNDAYS

Inasmuch as the use of the library on Sunday afternoons during the past month has not been sufficient to justify the continuance of the program, the library will no longer be opened on Sunday afternoons.

credit for those experiences gained while in the armed services which make for a genuine contribution to his general or specialized educational development.

In addition to serving as a guide for colleges and universities that may desire to grant credit for military service, other uses of the test will include data for general educational and vocational guidance, and the basis of attainment reached by each student who may seek employment in positions that require definite educational requirements, it was stated.

Prof. L. H. Dyson, head of the department of education and director of teacher training at the Normal College, has been named chairman of the armed forces institute tests to be given at the college this semester.

Methodist Speaker Appearing Here



Dr. L. Edward Mattingly, of Emory University, will visit the campus this week-end, under the sponsorship of the Wesley Foundation. Dr. Mattingly received the B. A. degree from Emory University in 1936, and the B. D. degree from Candler School of Theology, and S. T. M. from Yale University. He has conducted Religious Emphasis Week in several large colleges and universities and has spoken in many large churches in the Southeastern section. Dr. Mattingly is coming here for the annual Campus Visitation which is a part of the regular program of the Wesley Foundation.

Dr. Mattingly will address the student body at a special assembly in Normal Auditorium at 11:00 a. m. Monday.

A full schedule has been planned for the week-end, which includes a picnic in honor of Dr. Mattingly at Normal Wells on Saturday afternoon, to which all students in the Methodist group are invited. Dr. Mattingly will be presented to the student class at the Methodist church on Sunday morning, and will lead an open forum on Sunday evening at 6:30. He will meet the members of the Campus-Church Relations Committee and the Wesley Foundation Council at an informal tea on Monday evening and will be available for small group and personal conferences on Monday morning and afternoon. Students and faculty members who are interested are invited to attend the meetings at the church on Sunday.

College Calendar

Saturday, April 3

Wesley Foundation: Dr. Ed Mattingly of Emory University
Normal Wells: Picnic — Wesley Foundation, 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Little Theatre: Junior Dramatic Club Play, "One Mad Night", 8:00 p.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Play Party 8:30-11:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 4

Wesley Foundation: Dr. Ed Mattingly

Monday, April 5

Wesley Foundation: Dr. Ed Mattingly

L. V. E.: Faculty Meeting, 4:00 p.m.

Auditorium: Recreational Sing 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Election Extra To Be Published Wednesday

Although no issue of The Current Sauce is ordinarily scheduled for the week of mid-term the nominations for the Student Body Elections made it advisable that a paper be published today.

This issue carries pre-election news and sample ballots. An election extra of this same size will be published Wednesday night, April 7, carrying complete election returns.

Normal Summer Session Poster Being Issued

An attractive poster advertising the twelve weeks' summer session at the college here from May 31 to August 20 is now being distributed to schools throughout the State, officials of the college announced this week.

The poster contains the photographs of nine buildings on the campus and 16 pictures showing activities of students at the college. Featured among the activities are the cadets enrolled in the Navy Flight Preparatory School music groups, health and physical education "shots", dramatics, the Natchitoches Trade School, and the American Red Cross Aquatic School held on the campus each summer.

At the bottom of the poster are listed curricula offered by the college in liberal arts, teacher education, and pre-professional courses. The poster also carries the dates of the opening of the fall semester on September 10 and the beginning of the spring semester of 1944 on January 24.

Copy for the summer session bulletin is now being compiled and will go to press within the next few days, officials stated. The summer bulletin will carry all information concerning the twelve weeks' term including special courses to be offered and a complete list of subjects listed for the short session.

Students will be allowed to schedule twelve semester hours of work during the summer session, which is equivalent to two-thirds the credit that can be earned during a regular semester of eighteen weeks, officials pointed out this week.

Tuesday, April 6

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
BSU Large Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, April 7

Student Body Elections, all day
Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

S300: Euthenics Club Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Thursday, April 8

Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Y House: Sr. Council YWCA Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Political Rally To Be Staged Monday Night

42 STUDENTS RUN FOR 17 OFFICES

John "Bully" Howell and Allen Vige were nominated Wednesday to run for the Presidency of the Student Body Association in the annual spring elections which are to be held here Wednesday, April 7. A total of 42 candidates were nominated to run for 17 student body and class offices.

The nominating assembly, held at 12:45 p. m. in Normal Auditorium on Wednesday, was the opening gun of the week-long political campaign that will terminate in the first primary next Wednesday. Feature of the week's activities will be the all-party political rally which is to be held in Normal Auditorium Monday night, April 5. The second primary, if one is necessary, will be held here Friday, April 9.

Other student body nominees were Carlton Johnson, Virginia Lea Marmande, and Tommy Thompson who will vie for the Vice-Presidency of the Student Body Association.

Three candidates, Viola Caraway, Virginia Leete, and Jean Simmons were named for the race for student body Secretary-Treasurer. This is an unusually small number of candidates for this race.

Largest number of candidates in any field was that in the race for the three seats-at-large on the Student Council. Seven candidates, six men and one woman were nominated. They are: Gloria Bayard, Carl Benton, Henry Bollier, H. B. Burley, Raymond Ledet, Bobby Ruston, and Don Smith.

Louise Pinckley was also nominated to enter the race for a seat on the Student Council but she withdrew her nomination late Wednesday afternoon. C. M. McSwain, student body president has announced.

In the nominations for the editorship of The Current Sauce two candidates, Grace King and Doris Leone, were entered in the race.

(SEE THE SAMPLE BALLOT ON PAGE TWO FOR A LISTING OF ALL CANDIDATES, INCLUDING CANDIDATES FOR CLASS OFFICES.)

"One Mad Night" Tonight, Not Friday Night

Through an editorial error, The Current Sauce announced last week that the Junior Dramatic Club production, "One Mad Night" was to be given here last night (Friday). The play will be presented tonight in the Little Theatre of Fine Arts Building, beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

"One Mad Night" is a comedy mystery-thriller on the order of "The Bat", "The Cat and the Canary", etc. The three-act production has received generally favorable notice in productions elsewhere. The cast includes a seasoned group of student actors.

NORMALITES IN THE SERVICES

Major R. G. Markham Stationed at Camp Campbell

Major R. G. Markham, former member of the Natchitoches high school faculty is now stationed at Camp Campbell, Kentucky.

Former Cage Captain, Tandy Jackson Is Commissioned In Infantry

Tandy Jackson, former captain of the Demon basketball team, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the infantry at Fort Benning, Georgia. Jackson is from Coushatta. He graduated from Normal in 1940 after serving on the Demon cage team for three years. He received All-S.I.A.A. rating in his senior year.

J. E. Rhodes, Jr. Transferred To Chanute Field, Illinois

Friends will be interested to learn that J. E. Rhodes, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rhodes of Natchitoches, has been promoted to Corporal in the Army Air Corps. He recently completed his basic training in Air Plane Mechanics at Keesler Field, Miss., and has been transferred to Chanute Field, near Rantoul, Ill., for advanced training.

Kenneth "Red" Wilson Stationed In Florida With Army Air Corps

Pvt. Kenneth "Red" Wilson, former Demon tennis star and son of W. W. Wilson, college Superintendent of Grounds, is now sta-

tioned at Miami Beach, Florida with the ground forces of the Army Air Corps. Wilson was inducted into the armed forces on February 27.

Bertene Warner, U. S. Coast Guard, Receives Promotion

Friends will be interested to learn that Bertene Warner, U. S. Coast Guard, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Warner of Natchitoches, who is now stationed at Sullivan Island, South Carolina, has been promoted to Seaman, 1st Class. This is Warner's second promotion since last September, when he volunteered in the Coast Guard.

Paratrooper Fred Maddux Spends Week Here

Paratrooper Fred Maddux, Jr., of Fort Benning, Ga., spent the last week here with his mother, Mrs. Fred Maddux. He returned to his duties on Saturday and has been transferred to Fort Mac Kall, Ga. Paratrooper Maddux volunteered in the Armed Service in June, 1942 and has won his silver wings as a qualified paratrooper.

Jack Warner, A.A.F.E.R.C. Here on Visit to Parents

Jack Warner, Army Air Force, Enlisted Reserve Corps, from Fort Worth, Texas, arrived on Wednesday to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Warner, and family, while waiting for further assignment.

SATAN'S SATIRE

If it's true that "true love never runs smooth", then the love of **Elliot Ginsburg** and **Betty Elder** must be true. The affair could hardly be called a smoothie.

An interesting event of the past week was the pinning of **Frances Watley** by **John Parks**. While any pinning is interesting, this one was especially so because of the nonchalance with which the parties entered into the thing, because of the past record of John, and because the affair was so extremely short-lived. The campus first became aware of the incident when Watley appeared on the campus wearing the pin. There were those who remembered John's infatuation for **Elizabeth Boute** and so inquired about the matter. John informed them, "Well, she asked for it, I let her wear it." Next day, Parks appeared wearing the pin again.

Matsye Mae Austin and **H. B. Burley** very appropriately smashed their 16-months-old romance to itty bitty pieces just a few minutes before the car they were in smashed a house into similar parts last Sunday night. The house may or may not be repaired immediately but word from the best of all possible sources has it that one of the pair has reconsidered and that all will be peaceful once more before this gets into print.

A budding romance which has blushed unseen for far too long is that of **Annie Provenzano** and "Deacon" **McKinney**.

Jimmy Lout is in a quandry—not just an ordinary-sized one but a hair-tearin', brow-wrinkling quandry—over a woman, or rather, over two women. Some fellows grind their molars and moan because they haven't got a woman or because they have one that they don't want. Jimmy is unique in that he wants two women and that's bigamy. Besides, its greedy and never has worked out very well. It seems that the young lout is in love and that there are two possibilities: **Annie Sue Miller** and a home-town belle. He's quite sure that he's in love but he (and we quote) "just can't decide which one I should be in love with." It must be spring.

"Vaccinating" might be an appropriate word to apply to one student and a former local Joe, according to information received this week from supposedly reliable sources. It seems that **Mildred Courtney**, who seems predestined to lure other women's men off the beaten trail, got her usual daily letter from **Sammy Griffin** out of the Normal Pony Express Station recently to hear that Sammy no longer loves "Woofie" **Strange**. Instead, he declared, he is completely overboard for Mildred. Now that was a tragic situation but what makes it even worse is the fact that Mildred has found a new true love among the cadets. In fact she is said to have demonstrated the fact of her love quite forcibly when the two of them said good night Thursday. Now **Woofie** ain't got no Sammy, Sammy ain't got no Mildred, but Mildred must have something—just witness the facts!

WESLEY FOUNDATION

The Wesley Foundation initiated a new program for the Student Class on Sunday morning, when for the first time the class divided into two groups—Freshmen and Sophomores, taught by Miss Katherine Winters, and Juniors and Seniors by Miss Mamie Chandler. Miss Winters will give a course in biography, presenting great characters of the Bible. Miss Chandler will lead an informal study in the New Testament. The students who attended last Sunday were enthusiastic over the courses as outlined by Miss Winters and Miss Chandler and are anticipating an interesting study during the remainder of the spring semester. Students of the Pre-Flight school were given their choice of classes and were about equally divided between the two groups.

METHODIST LEADER ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Miss Jane Davis, president of the Wesley Foundation attended the Annual Meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Louisiana Conference in Monroe this week and spoke on Wednesday morning on the special program which presented the work of the Methodist Church with students. Miss Davis's subject was "The Church Away from Home", and was a presentation from the student's viewpoint of the value of the Wesley Foundation on the campuses of our tax-supported colleges and universities.

T. M. Stroud, Jr., Pledges Lambda Zeta

Terry M. Stroud, Jr., pledged to Lambda Zeta fraternity on Tuesday. He attended Texas A. and M. last semester.

ABSENTEE REPORT

Week March 22-27, 1943

170 students absent from classes—24.8 per cent of student body
55 men—36.9 per cent of men students
115 women—21.5 per cent of women students
49 Freshmen—24.8 per cent of Freshman Class
45 Sophomores—32.1 per cent of Sophomore Class
41 Juniors—28 per cent of Junior Class
35 Seniors—17.8 per cent of Senior Class

393 classes missed—3.5 per cent of total number of classes held
136 prearranged and justified—34.1 per cent
198 ill—50.1 per cent
43 not justified—11.5 per cent
14 errors—3.5 per cent
3 tardy—.7 per cent

38 called in for conference
22 reported tardy

Books An' Stuff

Books found on the new book shelf in the library:

Johnson. **Permanent Price Control Policy**. (A very timely book.)

Harris. **Lifelines of Victory**. (The war cannot be won by over-hasty actions.)

Mitchell. **India Without Fable**. (An up-to-date analysis of the political, social, and economic forces which keep India in ferment today.)

The **Picnic Book**. (What to eat, and where and how to eat it.)

The **South American Handbook**. (A concise collection of pertinent facts.)

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Annual Student Body Election

LOUISIANA STATE NORMAL COLLEGE

Wednesday, April 7, 1943

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

TOMMY BAMBRICK - - - - - ☐

WILLIARD HOLLENSHEAD - - - - - ☐

VICE-PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

JAMES CREIGHTON - - - - - ☐

ELMO HILL - - - - - ☐

SECRETARY-TREASURER

(Vote for One)

CLAIRE ALEXANDER - - - - - ☐

MAVIS CADE - - - - - ☐

PEGGY MONTEGUT - - - - - ☐

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

TRUMAN CRAWFORD - - - - - ☐

HARRY MILLER - - - - - ☐

VICE-PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

MARJORIE BARRE - - - - - ☐

C. R. (BUCK) DOBSON - - - - - ☐

RALPH McFARLAND - - - - - ☐

SECRETARY-TREASURER

(Vote for One)

MATSYE MAE AUSTIN - - - - - ☐

MAURINE HOLTSCLAW - - - - - ☐

MARY LESTER - - - - - ☐

EM WILLIS - - - - - ☐

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

FRANCIS LEDET - - - - - ☐

JOHN TARLTON - - - - - ☐

VICE-PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

J. C. LEDET - - - - - ☐

JOE PIERSON - - - - - ☐

SECRETARY-TREASURER

(Vote for One)

GABRIEL BARKATE - - - - - ☐

MILDRED COURTNEY - - - - - ☐

BARBARA GRAVES - - - - - ☐

JOYCE KILGORE - - - - - ☐

FRANCES SHARP - - - - - ☐

SAMPLE BALLOT

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STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

JOHN (BULLY) HOWELL - - - - - ☐

ALDEN VIGE - - - - - ☐

STUDENT BODY VICE-PRESIDENT

(Vote for One)

CARLTON JOHNSON - - - - - ☐

VIRGINIA LEA MARMANDE - - - - - ☐

TOMMY THOMPSON - - - - - ☐

STUDENT BODY SECRETARY-TREASURER

(Vote for One)

VIOLA (SIS) CARAWAY - - - - - ☐

VIRGINIA LEETE - - - - - ☐

JEAN SIMMONS - - - - - ☐

STUDENT COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE

(Vote for Three)

GLORIA BAYARD - - - - - ☐

CARL BENTON - - - - - ☐

HENRY BOLLIER - - - - - ☐

H. B. BURLEY - - - - - ☐

RAYMOND LEDET - - - - - ☐

BOBBY RUSTON - - - - - ☐

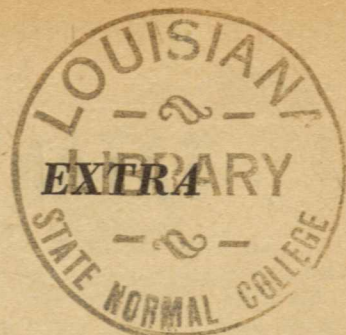
DON SMITH - - - - - ☐

EDITOR OF THE CURRENT SAUCE

(Vote for One)

GRACE KING - - - - - ☐

DORIS LEONE - - - - - ☐



Howell Is Elected President Of Student Body

Archeologist Will Be Presented Next Week by Lyceum

Count Byron de Prorok, world famous expedition leader and archeologist, will appear at Normal Auditorium on Thursday, April 15 at 8:00 p. m., to give an illustrated lecture on North Africa. He is presented by the Lyceum Committee of the college.

Count de Prorok has a greater acquaintance with the countryside of North Africa and its mass of people than possibly any other living man. For many years he has led expeditions across the trails of Africa for the governments of France, England, Italy, Egypt, Ethiopia, and Mexico.

Feature of his show will be the showing of moving pictures given him by the British Government for his work in lecturing to British troops. They show the official news reel of the capture of Tobruk and the return of Haile Selassie to the throne of Ethiopia. De Prorok is also known for his magazine articles which have appeared in the leading magazines of America and Europe. He is considered to know more about North Africa than any other authority.

His lecture is the fourth Lyceum presentation of the current season. Admission is \$.55 to adults and \$.25 to children, federal tax included.

Ostlund Announces Wave Campaign

The WAVES and SPARS offer women of twenty or over an excellent opportunity to make a direct contribution to the war effort. By joining one of these groups a woman becomes a part of the Navy or Coast Guard. She receives specialized training unless she already is equipped with a needed skill and releases a man for active duty. Miss Elizabeth Ostlund, local Wave representative has announced.

Women with a background of college work are especially suited to make a needed contribution to the Waves. At the same time they may receive specialized training of some sort that will increase their post-war vocational potentialities. Some of the fields in which Waves may work are as typists, radio operators, bookkeepers, clerks, laboratory technicians, physiotherapist, draftsmen, parachute makers and telegraph operators.

Students who wish additional information concerning the Waves or Spars should see Miss Ostlund in the Women's Gymnasium any day at the 4th period or from 4:30 until 5:30 on Monday, Wednesday or Friday. Students may also call the recruiting station in town at 3111.

Potpourri Proofs Being Read This Week

Proofs of the 1943 Potpourri are being read this week, according to E. P. Dobson, editor. Don Mike Stothart, business manager, stopped over on his way to enter the army and helped check the proofs.

Superman Didn't Help Us ...



... but here's a picture straight from the North African front. Shown above is Lt. John Woodyard (left) former student at the college who has seen many months of action in the battle against Axis air forces. Shown with Woodyard is a member of his bomber crew.

Purple Jacket Club To Call New Members At Tuesday Assembly

Fourteen local coeds will be called to membership in the Purple Jacket Club, local honorary women's service organization, at the annual calling ceremony which is to be held at a student assembly in Normal Auditorium at 10:00 a. m. next Tuesday, April 13. A number of new members are called each year to replace graduating Purple Jackets.

The calling, an annual feature of the spring semester at the college, will feature the appearance on the stage of the entire membership of the organization and the announcement of newly selected members. No announcement of the selectees will be made prior to the calling. The Purple Jacket Club is annually composed of 21 girls, 11 non-sorority and 10 sorority coeds. Replacements are made so as to keep the membership constant. Those to be replaced at the calling here Tuesday are:

Mary Ellen Caldwell, Helen Clay, Patsy Clyde, Anna Lea Colle, Julianne David, Jane Davis, Stella Susan Edgerton, Miriam Ewing, Mary K. Griffin, Anna Belle Landry, Dorothy Roach, Adelaide Smith, and Gwendolyn Sylvest. All are graduating this semester except Adelaide Smith who completed her work at the end of the fall semester.

Seven members of the organization will return to the college next year. They are: Margery Buatt, Edleen Gunn, Edith Kuhn, Myrtis Simpson, Dixie Tarver, Jean Vosburg, and Norma Worley.

NOTICE—SENIOR GIRLS

A meeting of all senior girls graduating in May will be held in room S306 Friday, April 9 at 4:00 p. m.

S. W. Nelken

Tommy Thompson Gets Majority In Vice-Presidential Election Simmons and Caraway Go Into Second Primary for Secretary-Treasurer

Hollinshead, Miller, Tarlton Head Classes

Senior and Soph Secretaries Undecided

In Wednesday's class elections, seven offices were filled in the first primary, and run-offs will be held Friday in two races.

Wilbur Hollinshead was elected president of the senior class, 75 votes to Tommy Bambrick's 48. James Craton won the vice-presidency with 85 votes to Elmo Hill's 36; and Clair Alexander and Peggy Montegut entered the second primary for the secretary-treasurer's job, with 43 votes apiece to Mavis Cade's 38.

Results in the junior class were Harry Miller, president, 80 votes to Truman Crawford's 47; Ralph McFarland, vice-president, 64 votes to Marjorie Barre's 40 and C. R. Dobson's 23; Maurine Holtzclaw, secretary-treasurer, 68 votes to Mary Lester's 39 and Em Willis' 20.

Sophomore Class: John Tarlton, president, 95 votes to Francis Ledet's 58; J. C. Ledet, vice-president, 78 votes to Joe Pierson's 75; and Mildred Courtney and Barbara Graves entered the second primary for the secretary-treasurer's job. Results in this race were Courtney 59, Graves 32; Gabriel Barkate 23, Joyce Killgore 22, and Frances Sharp 17.



John (Bully) Howell was elected President of the Student Body here today when he gained an 81-vote majority in a moderately close election. Howell received 283 votes and his opponent, Alden Vige, received 202 votes.

Tommy Thompson, Howell's running mate, gained a clear majority for the Vice-Presidency of the Student Body when he polled 287 votes as against 131 for Carlton Johnson and 66 for Virginia Lea Marmande.

In the race for Secretary-Treasurer of the Student Body, Jean Simmons and Viola (Sis) Caraway went into Friday's second primary. Simmons received 203 votes, Caraway polled 163, and Virginia Leete trailed with 118 counters.

Benton on Council

Carl Benton was the only one of the seven candidates for the three Student Council seats to gain a clear majority and election in the first primary. He polled 279 votes. Four other candidates will enter Friday's second primary to vie for the two remaining seats. They are Don Smith who polled 209 votes in today's election, Gloria Bayard, H. B. Burley, and Bobby Ruston polled 200 votes each to get into the second election. Henry Bollier with 192 votes and Raymond Ledet with 181 were eliminated from the race.

King Next Sauce Editor

Grace King was elected Editor of The Current Sauce for the 1943-44 session of the college when she piled up 265 votes to shade her opponent, Doris Leone, who had 220 votes.

COUNT BYRON DE PROROK



who will appear as a Lyceum program here Thursday, April 15.

College to Offer Refresher Course in Mathematics and Science This Summer Wartime Shortage Will Be Countered By Program at Local College

Because of a shortage of mathematics and science instructors in the high schools of the state, the college will offer a Refresher Course for teachers of mathematics and science during the summer session which opens on May 31, officials of the college announced this week.

The Refresher Course in mathematics will be offered the first six weeks of the session with the Refresher Course in science scheduled for the second six weeks beginning on July 12.

Both high school materials and methods of presentation will be considered in these courses, officials stated. Each course will carry a credit of three semester hours.

Listed as Education 401, both the mathematics and science courses will be given under the direction of Professor L. H. Dyson, Head of the Department of Education and Director of Teacher Training at the college.

Practice teaching will be offered this summer in the Normal Elementary School as well as in the Natchitoches High

School, Professor Dyson stated this week. The two schools will be open for a nine weeks' session beginning on May 31.

Another feature to be offered by the department of education at the college this summer is Education 40G, a course which is expected to be especially helpful to teachers who have recently returned to the teaching profession as a result of the present war crisis. The consideration of problems pertinent to the elementary and high schools and the observation of work in the Normal Elementary School and the Natchitoches High School will constitute the basis for the course. An outstanding school man in the state will assist the regular staff of the Department of Education in offering the course, Professor Dyson stated.

SATAN'S SATIRE

Just a few short hours ago the last ballots were dropped into the student body's lard cans and the fates of the candidates were decided. The truth of the matter is that most of the candidates' fates had been decided a good many months before when newspapers told of the attack on Pearl Harbor and the President started sending greetings all over the place. In short, the election itself, in most respects, was more amusing than any romantic triangle or boy-crazy coed could ever be.

We've never heard of such open man-chasing as that carried on by two of Gabe Barkate's opponents, Courtney and Killgore, at the political rally Monday night. There they stood, before the entire student body, and proclaimed that Gabe wasn't qualified since he wouldn't look very nice sitting on the class prexy's knee. In short, they (the gals) openly propose to spend the major part of next year perched on the new head man's knee—or draped around his neck.

Kelly Ward's case could well occupy either "Normalites In Service" or this column. Kelly surprised a good many people when he popped in here Sunday night, wearing his newly-won ensign's uniform. Not least surprised, we'll bet, was Belle Brown, Kelly's supposed true love, who was caught flat-footed in the company of another man.

College Plans Interesting Program for Spring Commencement, May 22, 23, 24

230 Seniors Are Candidates for Degrees

An interesting three-day Spring Commencement Program at the College here on May 22, 23, and 24 was announced this week by college officials.

Opening with Senior Day exercises at 11 a. m. on May 22, the annual Spring Commencement Program will continue through Monday, May 24, when the graduation exercises will be held in the college auditorium at 10:30 a. m.

A special feature of the commencement will be a series of events on the afternoon of May 22 when the college will be depicted at work. Beginning with a program at 2:45 p. m. in the auditorium, various departments of the college including the Science, Home Economics, Health and Physical Education, and Dramatics Departments will demonstrate their activities.

An extra feature of the program on May 22 will be a parade at the college stadium by the cadets enrolled in the Navy Flight Preparatory School at the college.

Baccalaureate Sermon will be delivered in the Auditorium at 11 a. m. Sunday, May 23. Other events on May 23 will include a musical program by the Music Department at 3 p. m. in the Auditorium and a reception for the seniors at 7 p. m. in the drawing room of Varnado Hall.

The faculty representative of the senior class will be elected at the regular monthly meeting of the faculty in the Visual Education Room of the Library next Monday, officials stated this week. Approximately 230 seniors are candidates for the degree, this year.

ABSENTEE REPORT

Week March 29-April 3, 1943

163 students missed classes—23.7 per cent of the student body
50 men—21 per cent of men students
48 Freshmen—24.4 per cent of Freshman class
38 Sophomores—27.3 per cent of Sophomore class
41 Juniors—28.2 per cent of Junior class

381 classes missed—3.4 per cent of total number of classes held
106—justified and prearranged—27.8 per cent
232—ill—60.9 per cent
19—not justified—4.9 per cent
21—errors—5.5 per cent
3—tardy, reported absent—8 per cent
25 called in for conference
18 reported tardy

NORMALITES IN SERVICE

Miss Cornelia Eastland Of Library Department Joins the WAAC

Miss Cornelia Eastland, Periodicals Librarian and Assistant Professor of Library Science at the college, has joined the WAAC. She will report for duty after June 1.

Cadet Don Arvel Mims Completes Pre-Flight Course

Naval Aviation Cadet Don Arvel Mims has completed the course at the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight school at Athens, Ga., and been ordered to the Naval Air Station at Norman, Okla., for primary flight training.

R. T. DeLouche, Jr. Commissioned Lieutenant

R. T. DeLouche, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. DeLouche, Sr., of Cloutierville, has been commissioned a second lieutenant upon graduation from Turner Field, Albany, Ga., and is now stationed at Columbia Air Base, Columbia, S. C.

Auxiliary Edna Lee Brewton At Fort Des Moines

Auxiliary Edna Lee Brewton of Goldonna, has begun training at the First Women's Army Auxiliary Corps Training Center at Fort Des Moines.

Private Paul J. Pratt Promoted to Corporal

Pvt. Paul J. Pratt, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Pratt, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal. Corporal Pratt, who recently graduated at the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command School at Keesler Field, is now stationed at Lockhead-Vega Service School at Burbank, Calif.

Other services are 4:30 p. m. on the campus and 7:00 p. m. at the church.

Coming events for the B. S. U. are: Election of B. S. U. officers by all Baptist students at the Sunday School next Sunday, April 11; Annual Spring Retreat, May 6; Annual Spring Banquet, May 7, with Mr. William Hall Preston, speaker.

Second "Reading Hour" at College Library April 16

The second "Reading Hour" will be held at the college library on Friday, April 16, at 5:00 p. m. Dr. C. E. Dugdale will read Shelley's "The Sensitive Plant" and James Branch Cabell's "Child of God."

The "Reading Hour" was instituted recently by the Department of Languages.

Faculty Members Attend Regional Library Institute

Miss Nancy Sexton, Miss Evelyn Taylor, and Mr. Eugene Watson of the college library attended the Regional Library Institute held in New Orleans on Tuesday and Wednesday.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

The Baptist Student Union is fortunate this week in having several outstanding workers to lead the annual Training Union Campaign. Mr. Fred Schatz, State Training Union Director, is directing this campaign and with him are associated the following other faculty members for the week: Mr. Wendell Arnote, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky; Mr. Joe Burnette, Baptist Student Counselor for S. L. I.; Miss Ava Gene Powell, Shreveport, and former secretary at the local Baptist Church; and Mrs. A. B. Fox from Homer.

One of these guests is leading each day the noon-day chapel service in the Religious Center.

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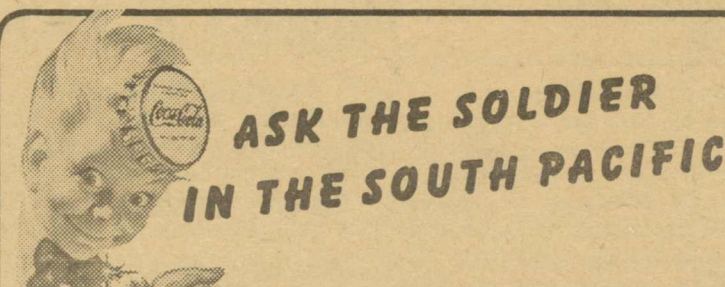
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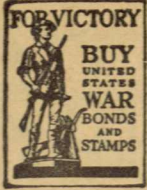
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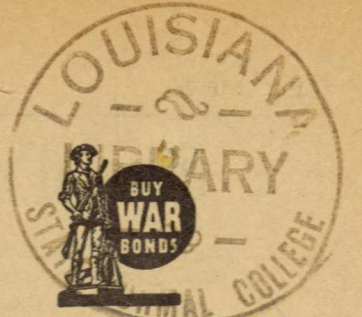
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Naval Flight School Here Graduates First Class

The first class of cadets in the Navy Flight Preparatory School established at the college here early this year was graduated Monday of this week.

The cadets were given final inspection by Commander F. H. Mitchell, USNR, officer-in-charge, at noon Tuesday.

Many of the members of the class left the campus soon after graduation for new appointments, but several are still awaiting placement at other schools, it was announced.

Pictures of the class were made by the publicity department of the college in co-operation with Navy officials. A complete layout of the pictures is expected to be released by Navy officials within the next few days.

A new contingent of cadets is expected to enroll in the Navy Flight Preparatory School at the college here within the next few days, it was announced.

Publication of Alumni Magazine Announced

The first issue of *The Normal Alumni Columns*, quarterly magazine of the Alumni Association, to be published in three years was issued here this week. Leroy S. Miller is editor of the publication and Dr. C. E. Dugdale is associate editor.

ABSENT REPORT Week April 5-10, 1943

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150 ill—54 per cent
16 not justified—6.1 per cent
11 errors—3.9 per cent
4 tardy—1.1 per cent

15 called in for conference
15 reported tardy

editor.

The 24-page magazine, containing pictures and articles concerning student and alumni activities, is now in the college library.

Faculty Representative



MARY ELLEN CALDWELL

Purple Jackets Call Seventeen Here Tuesday

Seventeen new members of the Purple Jacket club, honor group at the college, were named at a special assembly in the college auditorium Tuesday. The new members will take the places of those who are completing their courses at the college here next month.

Presided over by Miss Miriam Ewing of Innis, president of the club, the program included a history of the club by Miss Mary Ellen Caldwell of Shreveport, vice-president of the group; and an address by President Joe Farrar, who announced the names of the new members.

Music at the ceremonies included a vocal solo by Miss Patsy Clyde of Alexandria and a piano solo by Miss Mary Katherine Griffin of Vivian, both members

Mary Ellen Caldwell Is Faculty Representative of Senior Class

Mary Ellen Caldwell was named faculty representative of the senior class at the college here at the monthly faculty meeting in the Visual Education room of the Library Tuesday.

Holidays Begin At Noon Next Thur., April 22

The Easter Holidays begin officially at 12:00 noon, on Thursday, April 22, it was announced this week. Classes will be resumed at 8:00 a. m., Tuesday, April 27.

Students will be expected to meet all morning classes here Thursday and to return to school in time for their first class on Tuesday morning.

of the club.

The new members called at the ceremonies Tuesday are: Misses Mavis Cade, Sulphur; Dorothy Coleman, Jena; Alice Collier, Oakdale; Virginia Cook, Alexandria; Dorothy Corne, Port Sulphur; Mary Evelyn Durden, Monroe; Mary Frances Edgerton, Coushatta; Billie Elston, Shreveport; Nadyne Fargerson, Longstreet; Doris Ford, Oakdale; Winifred Hubley, Many; Grace King, West Monroe; Annie Sue Miller, West Monroe; Marie Miller, Haynesville; Ruth Monger, Welch; and Julia Pace, Natchitoches.

Officers of the Purple Jacket Club for the 1943-44 session are: the Misses Dixie Tarver, Oak Grove, president; Margery Buatt, Crowley, vice-president; Edith Kuhn, Tallulah, secretary; and Jean Vosburg, Mer Rouge, treasurer.

In addition to making an outstanding record in her academic work at the college, Miss Caldwell has taken an active part in extra-curricular work during her four years of work.

Serving as president of the Young Women's Christian Association and of Alpha Phi Gamma, journalistic fraternity, this year, Miss Caldwell has also been vice-president of the Purple Jacket Club and of Phi Alpha Theta, honorary history fraternity.

She also holds membership in Kappa Delta Pi, honorary educational fraternity, the Davis Players, and the T. H. Harris Scholarship Club. For two years she was a member of the Current Sauce staff, and has served as a member of the Student Council and the Women's Council at the College for one year. During her freshman year she was named a member of the Freshman Commission, religious club at the college.

For three years Miss Caldwell was a member of the Forensic Club at the college participating in many intercollegiate contests in several states. During her three years of forensic work, she won four championships in radio speaking, two at Central State Teachers College, Ada, Okla., one at Baylor University, Waco, Tex., and one at the Louisiana Forensic here.

Miss Caldwell will deliver a paper at the annual Senior Day exercises at the college on Saturday, May 22. She is majoring in the Social Science curriculum.

Caraway, Bayard, Burley Elected To High Student Body Offices

Montegut, Alexander Win Class Races

Viola (Sis) Saraway was elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Student Body Association in the second primary of the spring elections held here last week. Miss Caraway eked out a 2-vote majority over Jean Simmons, top candidate in the first primary, to win 210 to 208 in one of the closest races ever recorded at the college.

Gloria Bayard and H. B. Burley were elected to the Student Council in another close race. Bayard polled 227 and Burley was the choice of 211 voters. Don Smith, with 203 votes, and Bobby Ruston, with 192 ballots in his favor, were eliminated from the race. In the first primary, Smith led with 209 votes while Bayard, Burley, and Ruston were tied with 200 each. Bayard's election marked the first time in recent years that a woman student has run successfully against men opponents.

In two class secretary-treasurers' elections held Friday, Peggy Montegut and Mildred Courtney were balloted into office in the Senior and Sophomore classes, respectively. Montegut won, 62 to 45, over Claire Alexander in the Senior race while Courtney defeated Barbara Graves, 90 to 64, in the Sophomore voting.

New Air Raid Warning System

Effective March 30, 1943

Signal	Meaning	Procedure
STEADY BLAST	ENEMY PLANES HEADED YOUR WAY	1. Lights Out 2. Autos Continue—Low Lights 3. Pedestrians May Walk 4. Workers Remain at Jobs 5. Civilian Defense Mobilizes
SERIES OF SHORT (or Warbling) BLASTS	BOMBING EXPECTED	1. Traffic Stops 2. All Lights (except authorized emergency) Blacked Out 3. Take Shelter
STEADY BLAST	ENEMY PLANES HAVE GONE BUT MAY RETURN	1. All Lights Continue Out 2. Resume Driving—Low Lights 3. Leave Shelter—Resume Activity 4. Civilian Defense Stays Mobilized
ALL CLEAR	DANGER APPEARS TO BE OVER	1. Street Lights Go On 2. Civilian Defense Demobilized 3. Blackout Ends

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College Calendar

Saturday, April 17

Normal Wells: BSU Spring Annual Planning Meeting, 4:00-9:30 p.m.

Private Dining Room Student Center: Sigma Sigma Sigma Party, 5:30 p.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Play Party, 8:30-11:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 18

Newman Club Meeting, 1:15 p.m.

Monday, April 19

Auditorium: Patriotic Community Sing, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 20

Freshman Conferences with their Counselors

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

BSU Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, April 21

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p.m.

Freshman Conferences with their Counselors

S300: Euthenics Club Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Thursday, April 22

Easter Holidays begin at Noon

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CAPITAL TO CAMPUS

Axiom for Tomorrow

"In the post-war period, no youth should be barred by economic circumstances from carrying his education as far as he profitably can."

In that axiom for tomorrow, the National Resources Planning Board expresses its opinion that society owes education to the able and should stand ready to foot the bill for youth if youth cannot.

This is how NRPB evaluates shortcomings of today's education to be remedied tomorrow:

Nine-tenths of the children of high school age should be in high school and eight-tenths of them should finish high school. In 1940, American high schools had about 7 million pupils. They should have had 1,700,000 more.

Four-tenths of junior college age youth should continue their education beyond high school. In 1940, about 870,000 were in freshman and sophomore classes at college or in technical schools. That number should be increased 130 percent.

In 1940, about 687,000 students were beyond the second year of college work. In the best interests of society, enrollment in such advanced classes should be increased about 25 percent.

Says the NRPB report: "Fewer than half of the nation's youth who are able to do acceptable college work now continue this education beyond high school."

But the report is being quietly absorbed by those who will fight for a better tomorrow when the time comes. Chances are there will be a stiff struggle to make views of the report prevail. Realization of the aims suggested by NRPB depend on much more federal aid to education than in the past. And such aid has had strong opposition in the past.

"During the years immediately following the war," NRPB observes, "it does not appear probable that the total revenue available for education from state and local sources can be greatly increased. It also appears improbable that any great increase will occur in governmental funds available for education. It is therefore evident that most of the increase in expenditures for education in the post-war period must be financed almost if not entirely

by federal funds."

Equalization of education opportunity requires equalization of the burden of expense the planners say. Some states are six or seven times as able as others to support education. Today, this discrepancy breeds a corresponding inequality in educational opportunity.

"The only agency that can remedy the inequality among the states in the tax burden for education is the federal government. It should accept this role."

That's likely to be one of the battlefields after victory.

Living Tabloid

College theatre groups now have opportunity to stage a novel wartime play about better nutrition and effective management of available food supplies.

The show is "It's Up to You", which had its premiere in New York on March 31 under direction of Elia Kazan, director of the current Broadway successes, "The Skin of Our Teeth" and "Harriet."

Using "living newspaper" technique, the New York production had 27 scenes. But to mobilize college and community thespians in getting facts of the food situation to the public, a 1½-hour version in six scenes and a tabloid edition running 25 minutes will be supplied to non-commercial groups through OWI.

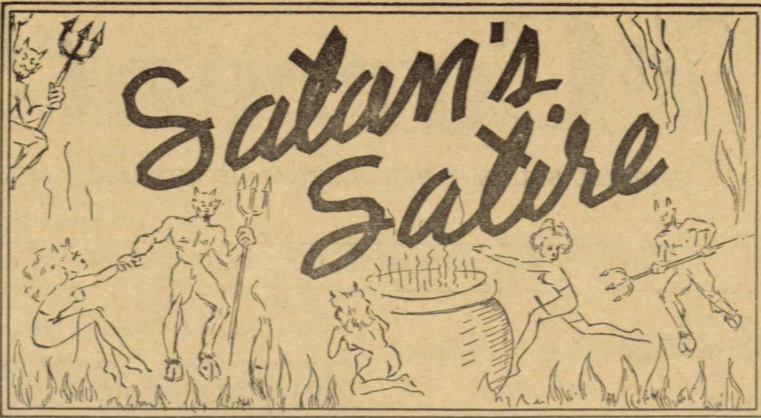
Films provided "scenery" with action taking place below or beside the screen. The government hopes to obtain a hundred productions of "It's Up To You" by college groups this term and in early summer sessions.

Education Elsewhere

War's impact on American education is strong enough — but nothing like the problems of education in bleeding Russia. According to a report recently received in Washington from V. P. Potemkin, commissar of education, Russia has kept interference to a minimum amid actual combat.

Most schools maintained schedules. In districts temporarily seized by Nazis, the majority of children were evacuated deep into the rear in good time. Since numerous school buildings are used for war purposes, schools frequently operate in two or three shifts.

As territory is freed, schools are restored. In the Moscow region, for example, 909 of 926 wrecked schools were fully reestablished



Letter To The Editor

This week we got a letter which might have caused some less hardened souls a bit of mental discomfort. Aside from the fact that we have corns on our collective conscience, we don't feel at all ashamed since we feel that Mildred Courtney rather than your writer should have received the letter. Here 'tis:

To Whom It May Concern:

I have just finished reading an article in the April 3 issue of "The Current Sauce" and I would like to defend myself against same. I assure you that you are writing with false ideas. In the first place I assure you that Miss Courtney does not receive a letter daily from me at your so-called "Pony Express, Inc." and also that she is not my "only love." (Ed. Note: A bigamist, eh?)

Secondly, Miss Strange's name is not "Wofie", but rather, Ruth and we have not broken up. (Ed. Note: We point this fact out to the newly elected secretary-treasurer of the sophomore class.)

It seems to me that if a paper is going to use a "dirt column" at all, it should make sure that everything that is to be printed in it should be true. (Ed. Note: Ah! A radical!) I know all the service men like to get their college paper as much as I do, (Ed. Note: Thanks, pal.) but why not print the truth?

Hoping that this letter will make no enemies, but will help to keep my friends a Normal, I remain,

A Faithful Admirer,

Pvt. Sammy A. Griffin

Paul Anderson traditionally "plays the field" where romance is concerned. It appears to us that "the field" may soon become more and more Evelyn Burford and less and less just any gal with some spare time and a taste for blonde hair in small quantities.

And at least one more war widow—Dot Brock—was added to the rapidly growing campus list of the same when Ralph McFarland got a hurry-up call to the Naval Air Corps last week-end.

Speaking of war widows, quite a few coeds—Agnes Smith, to name several—joined the sisterhood when the first group of cadets graduated and hoisted anchor this week. Probably, though, they're already re-baiting their hooks in view of the fact that the Navy plans to keep restocking the pond just as fast as it's fished out.

Ironie indeed was the turn of events in the Davis Players here last week when the time rolled 'round for the bidding of new members. Although the manpower problem with the "senior dramatic group" is serious enough to justify the establishment of another federal bureau, a quartet of enterprising young actors and actresses, two of whom, Jimmy Lout and Jack Thompson, can wear pants on anybody's stage, were refused admittance to the organization. The dissenting vote, it is said, came from a triumvirate of hams who probably couldn't muster enough talent among them to jerk sodas at a second-rate stage-door canteen. The muse slapped the comedy mask over the tragic immediately after the balloting when it was revealed that the turn of events have made it necessary for the coming spring production, "The Taming of the Shrew", to be thrown open to non-members so that a top-notch cast, including at least one of the dramatic "4-F's", can be assembled. It's things like this that hurt one of our favorite campus organizations.

Former Faculty Member's Son Dies Thursday Morning

Funeral services were held here yesterday for Gaiennie Hyams III, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaiennie Hyams, Jr. Until this year Mr. Hyams was a member of the college faculty and coach at the high school. He is at present employed in the shipyards at Orange, Texas.

The child was discovered to have tetanus Monday and was taken to Shreveport, where he died early Thursday morning.

by last May. Nor is there a teacher shortage in the USSR. This is largely due to timely evacuation of teachers in invaded parts to new locations. New crops of teachers' college graduates are helping to keep up the supply.

Society

Miss Ostlund's Engagement Is Announced

Mr. E. M. Ostlund of Miami, Florida, has announced the engagement of his daughter, Elizabeth, to Mr. Eugene Dupont of Houma. The wedding is to take place shortly.

Miss Ostlund is a member of the faculty, teaching in the Department of Physical Education.

Staff Members Elected To A. A. U. W. Offices

Miss Nancy Sexton was elected president of the Natchitoches Branch of the American Association of University Women at the April meeting held in the Lemee House Monday evening. Others elected who will take office September, 1943 are Mrs. Iona Berry, vice-president, and Mrs. C. M. Mouser, secretary-treasurer.

Miss Sexton is a member of the library staff and Mrs. Berry is Dean of Women at the college.

Books An' Stuff

The ten "best sellers" of 1942 have been announced. The starred titles are in the library.

FICTION

- * Werfel. The Song of Bernadette.
- * Steinbeck. The Moon Is Down.
- * Buck. Dragon Seed.
- * Field. And Now Tomorrow.
- Pickett. Drivin Woman.

NON-FICTION

- * Hargrove. See Here, Private Hargrove.
- * Davis. Mission to Moscow.
- Paul. The Last Time I Saw Paris.
- * Rawlings. Cross Creek.
- * De Seversky. Victory thru Air Power.

New books in the library include the following:

Prochnow. The Public Speaker's Treasure Chest. (A compendium of source material to make your speech sparkle.)

Pierce. Home Canning for Victory. (Pickling, preserving, dehydrating.)

Groves. Marriage and Family Life. (Another book by this well-known author.)

Neuner. Office Management and Practice. (For those who plan to enter the business world.)

Scarborough. In the Land of Cotton. (A novel.)

the plays has not been announced.

The contest is sponsored annually by the Lesche Club, Natchitoches women's organization. Entries must be one-act plays based on Louisiana history or legend.

Lesche Contest Entries Must Be Completed by April 17

All Lesche Contest plays must be presented to Miss Annetta Wood by 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 27, it was announced this week. The date for the presentation of

For A Good Date

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—AT THE—

LEGION RINK IN CITY PARK

Natchitoches Boy Wins State Oratorical Event

A Natchitoches High school senior, Jimmy Bonnette, walked off with top honors in the state oratorical contest finals held in Baton Rouge April 2, by the Schoolmasters of the American Legion.

Young Bonnette was trained by Miss Clio Allen, his aunt, who is supervisor of English and speech teacher at Natchitoches High.

The contest, in which eight high school students from each congressional district took part, held at the American Legion hall, was presided over by Dean J. B. Trant of the University college of commerce. He is state chairman for the Schoolmasters of the Legion.

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Bargain Day — 9c and 17c

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in

"Miss V From Moscow"

FRIDAY
CASH NIGHT — 9c and 22c

"We Are The Marines"

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NORMALITES IN THE SERVICES

Bob Jordan, Ralph McFarland Sent to University of Texas

Bob Murphy Jordan and Ralph McFarland resigned from school last week-end and reported to New Orleans Tuesday after receiving their calls to the Naval Air Corps. Both were sent to the Naval Flight Preparatory School at Texas University, Austin, Texas.

Jordan, a sophomore, was a member of Lambda Zeta Fraternity. McFarland, also a sophomore, was recently elected vice-president of the Junior Class for the 1943-44 session. He is a member of Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity.

Pat Murphy Is Back In Town After Finishing CPT Secondary

Pat Murphy, former prominent student at the college, is in Natchitoches visiting his family and waiting for his next assignment to duty with the armed forces. He just completed his second course in commercial aviation at Monroe.

Murphy graduated from the college in June, 1940. He was president of Lambda Zeta Fraternity.

Private Paul Pratt Promoted to Corporal

Pvt. Paul J. Pratt, graduate of the college in 1941, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal and stationed at the Lockheed-Vega Service School at Burbank, Cal. after graduating recently from the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command School at Keesler Field, Miss.

Ensign J. Paul Powell Promoted To Lieut. (j.g.)

Lieutenant J. Paul Powell of the U. S. Navy visited his home here last week. Lieutenant Powell

was recently promoted to his present rank of Lieutenant (j.g.) after returning from a year in the Pacific war area.

Clyde Reinsch Now Stationed In California

Clyde Reinsch who resigned from the college this year after matriculating here in September is now stationed at Buckley Field, Cal. He was recently promoted to the rank of Private First Class.

Ensign Charles Greene Visits Friends Here

Ensign Charles J. Greene, U. S. Navy, who has made several trips overseas, visited on the campus last week while in Louisiana on leave. Ensign Greene, a student of the college in 1941, has now returned to the Atlantic Coast.

James Bailey In Oklahoma Flight School

James G. Bailey, who resigned from school this spring when he was called to the Army Air Corps, is taking his initial flight training at Ft. Hays Teachers College, Ft. Hays, Kan.

Charles DeBlieux Promoted To Lieutenant (j. g.)

Charles DeBlieux, USNR, was recently promoted to the rank of Lieutenant (j.g.), according to news received by Natchitoches relatives.

Lieutenant DeBlieux is an honor graduate of the college, having been awarded the faculty scholarship to L. S. U. upon completing his work here. He won the Lesche Play two years in succession.

Private Paul Marx Is In Florida

Private Paul Marx has been transferred to Miami, Florida, where he is receiving training in the ground work of the Army Air Forces.

Private Marx was head of the Department of Health and Physical Education of the college until he volunteered.

James W. Gray, Jr. Distinguishing Himself In North Africa

Lieutenant James W. Gray, graduate of the college, is making a name for himself as a P-40 fighter in North Africa, recently having made the headlines in the national press when he came to the rescue of a comrade and shot down a Messerschmitt plane.

He is a member of the outfit of Col. Phillip Cochran, whose daring performances have made him a legend with the French since the opening of the Tunisian battles.

Married

HARGIS-GREENE NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED IN AUSTIN, TEX.

The marriage of Miss Velma Claire Hargis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Hargis of Natchitoches, and Glenn B. Greene lieutenant in the U. S. April.

Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Greene also of Natchitoches, was quietly solemnized on Saturday, April 10, at 8 o'clock, in the Methodist Parsonage at Austin, Texas. Rev. Polk performed the impressive double ring ceremony in the presence of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. J. Hargis and brother officers of the groom and their respective wives.

The bride is a graduate of the college and Mrs. Hargis is a member of the art faculty.

Campus Joins Nation In Bond Drive

Campus participation in the Second War Loan Drive began briskly yesterday as freshmen ceds conducted sales of bonds and stamps from a special booth set up in the Student Center. With students of the Naval Flight Preparatory School investing generously, the total sales were expected to be high.

Women students of each of the four classes will conduct the sales from the Student Center booth until the close of the drive. The drive on the campus is a part of the nation-wide effort to raise \$13,000,000,000 by the end of April.



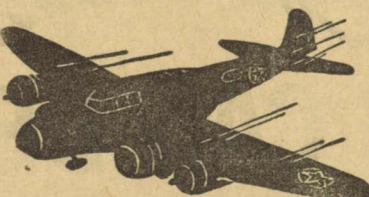
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BACK HOME."

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Lt. John Woodyard Writes of Feelings During Bombing Raid Over North Africa

Normalites might wonder how it feels to make a bombing raid against the Axis in North Africa. One former student, Lieut. John Woodyard, has written a letter detailing his feelings on such a raid.

After reading it, think over what it means to have American equipment while on such missions; and BUY A WAR BOND AT THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY to provide that equipment.

The letter follows:

You are reading the writing of an "old" combat pilot now. In spite of being the youngest pilot in the group I found out I have the most combat time and the most combat missions in the squadron.

Well, I just had to stop for a while because "Jerry" just paid a visit nearby. He hasn't been to see us lately, but he comes pretty close and we have a grandstand seat to the fireworks. It is really pretty to see the searchlights and tracers at night and you wonder how they can pack such a wallop. The British aren't far behind in their night fighters enter, from what I have seen and heard.

Maybe you wonder how it feels to go on a mission, so I will take you on a night mission, which so far I have found to be the safest.

Sometimes after dinner we hear the rumor that there is to be a mission tonight so I stroll over to operations and sure enough there's my name on the board. Briefing to be at, we'll say, six o'clock. I go out to my airplane and check with the crew chief and see if my ship is all ready to go. The bombs are already loaded and the ordnance section is putting the fuses in them. Usually the crew or someone is writing names on the bombs. (Probably they have just received a "drop one for me" letter). Back to the camp and an early supper. Six o'clock comes around and all the crews gather around. The Major says check your crews, so I start counting noses. All here.

The operations officer steps forward and gives us the target, type of load we are to carry, route out and route back, method of attack and time of take off. I am to take off at 10:10. The intelligence officer steps up with a picture of the target and gives us a description of it, the defenses to be expected, etc. That's all for the time being. Truck leaves for the airplanes at 9:00 so we go back to our tent to try to get a little rest. The navigator gets busy on his course, the bombardier tells me how he wants to make his run, and he and the co-pilot lie down and start wondering. Wondering what we will see, whether the ack-ack or night fighters will get us. You can imagine all sorts of things during

that short wait. 8:45 and we start drifting toward operations. 9:00 and I check noses again and load up and go out to the plane. The bombardier pulls the pins out of the bombs and checks his switches.

The navigator crawls into his hole and spreads his maps out. The co-pilot and I check over the ship as a whole and have a last minute word with the radio man and gunner. 9:55 and I crawl aboard and start the engines. There goes the first ship off. Won't be long now. 10:05 and we taxi out and give our signal.

We get a light and taxi on to the take-off strip. I call the radio man on the inter-phone and he says everything is all set so here we go. It's pitch dark. I can't even see the wing tips. Wonder if we'll be able to find the target. The navigator gives me the course and we start out on it. After a while he tells me we are so far out, and we start climbing. We reach our altitude and he tells me we

should see a certain check point a certain time.

I watch my watch and pretty soon the bombardier says he sees the target. Fly a certain heading. We see a flare up ahead; there go some bombs, some flashes in the sky, ack ack, then there comes some searchlights, they're on someone else, thank goodness. Bombardier says a little right; OK bomb doors open, 1, 2, 3, 4—bombs away, bomb doors closed; OK to turn, let's get the hell out of here. Then I nearly do snap rolls, immelman's etc. Throttles wide open and pretty soon a sigh of relief, we're back on our side of the lines.

Gunner keep your eye open, a night fighter might be following us. The navigator gives me a heading and an ETA (estimated time of arrival) and about that time the lights come into sight. We circle and land. A truck picks us up and carries us to the mess hall. The cooks have made cakes and hot coffee and we gather around an intelligence officer and answer his questions.

Where did you drop your bombs? On what course? See any hits? The bombardier thinks he saw a fire started. See any ack-ack? Not much. Any searchlights? About 6 or 8. Anything unusual? The gunner saw some artillery fire.

And then to bed and a good sleep. It wasn't bad at all. Not near as bad as you thought it was going to be.

Well I hope that didn't bore you because it's not very interest-

ing. I guess that's about all for this time.

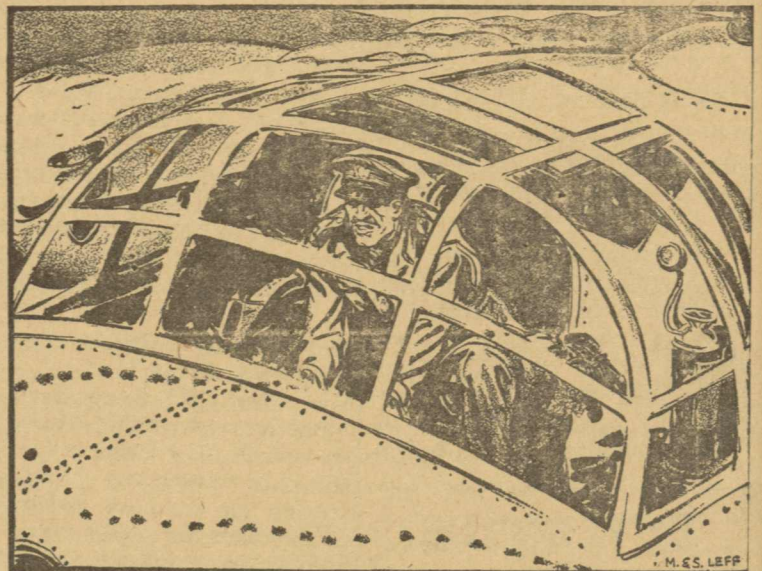
Lots of love,

JOHN

P. S.: Daylight operation is a little different and another story.

AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



With the bomber pilot killed, the co-pilot seriously injured, both left motors shot away, left wing on fire and a swarm of Jap Zeros all around Col. L. G. Saunders took over his bomber's controls above Bougainville, escaped the Zeros and saved his seven remaining crew members' lives by a crash landing on the water at 95 miles an hour. Navy craft rescued them.

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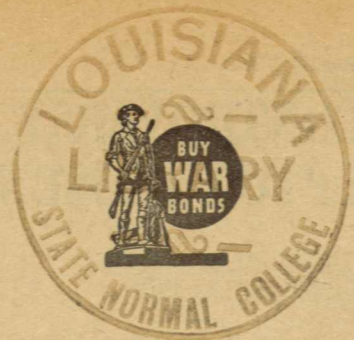
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College To Offer 134 Regular Courses, Many Special Classes During 12-Week Summer Term

Refresher Courses in Mathematics And Science Will Be Feature of Session

In addition to presenting an extensive schedule of 134 courses in 12 departments, the college will offer several courses of special interest to teachers of the State during the 12 weeks' summer session which opens on May 31 and closes on August 20.

The Department of Education will offer an observation-seminar course, and refresher courses in mathematics and science and practice teaching in both the Natchitoches High School and the Normal Elementary School. The observation-seminar course which will be given the first nine weeks of the summer session will carry a credit of six semester hours.

Both of the refresher courses in mathematics and science will be presented the first six weeks of the session and will also be offered the second six weeks beginning on July 12 if there is sufficient demand by teachers of the state. Each course will carry a credit of three semester hours, Professor L. H. Dyson, Head of the Department of Education and Director of Teacher Training, announced this week.

The practice teaching will be offered teachers of the state during the first nine weeks of the summer session. Teachers may make nine semester hours in practice teaching in the Natchitoches High School and 6 semester hours in the Normal Elementary School, Professor Dyson stated this week.

Special courses to be offered during the summer session at the college will include a Food Preservation Course, Pre-Flight Aeronautics, a Red Cross Aquatic School, a Fram Labor Training School, new library courses and several courses in science.

The Food Preservation Course, sponsored by the Home Economics Department, will include canning fruits, vegetables, and meats; preserving fruits; dehydrating foods

College Calendar

Saturday, May 1

Normal Wells: Euthenics Club Hay Ride, 4:00-8:00 p.m.

Women's Gymnasium: Play Party, 8:30-11:00 p.m.

Student Center: Senior Dance, 9:00-11:45 p.m.

Sunday, May 2

Newman Club Meeting, 1:15 p.m.

Little Theater: Calling of Freshman Commissioners

Monday, May 3

L. V. E.: Faculty Meeting, 4:00 p.m.

Little Theater: Waves Meeting, 4:30 p.m.

Auditorium: Naval Recreational Sing, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 4

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Green Room FA: A.A.U.P. Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 5

Kappa Delta Pi Initiation, 7 p.m.

NEW EDITOR



Louise Hawkins, Senior in Music, this week replaces Sam Kendrick as editor of The Current Sauce. Kendrick resigned from college last week in preparation for his call to the army.

Seventeen E.R.C.'s Receive Notices

Seventeen men students at the college, members of the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps, last week received official notice of impending call to active duty. These men were permitted to resign from the college, effective Thursday, April 22, seniors being granted their degrees and underclassmen being given part credit for the current semester's work.

Late yesterday these E. R. C.'s were still awaiting travel orders, no further official information having been received. Those who were included in last week's call are: John Beard, Garlington Feazell, Elliot Ginsberg, Dennen Holmes, John Howell, Sam Kendrick, J. C. Ledet, Cecil Owens, Wallace Prather, Bruce Rascoc, Ocie Richey, Roger Sherman, Jack Thompson, Lary Townsend, Kemp Tucker, Jewel Watson and A. C. Willis.

Annual Prep School Track Meet Here Today

The annual Northwest Louisiana Prep School Track and Field Meet will be held here at college today under the auspices of the Department of Health and Physical Education of the Natchitoches High School, it was announced this week by A. B. Simpson, principal and John Nicosia, director of the intramural program at the school.

With the Louisiana High School Athletic Association headed by A. C. Madden approving the meet, winners of first, second and third places will be certified for participation in the state meet, it was announced.

Limited to schools that are members of the Louisiana High School Athletic Association, the meet will consist of A and B schools if there is a minimum of four schools in each group. If the minimum in either class is not entered, both A and B divisions will compete together in the meet, officials stated.

With Northwest Louisiana rally rules governing the meet,

a contestant may enter four events with two of these in track except that the third may be in the relay. The third track event, however, will limit the contestant to one field entry.

Ribbons will be awarded the winners of first, second and third places in each event and plaques will be given the winners in each division.

Following are the events to be offered in the meet here Saturday: 120-yard hurdles, 100-yard dash, mile run, 440-yard dash, 220-yard low hurdles, 220-yard dash, half-mile run, mile relay, pole vault, shot put, running high jump, discus, running broad jump, javelin, running hop, step and jump.

FRESHMEN LEAD IN SALES AS BOND DRIVE NEARS END

Thursday night's count showed a total receipt, up to that time, of \$4,549.00 for the campus bond drive which is to end at noon today. Of this amount, the freshman class has accounted for \$2,236.45; the sophomore class for \$1,664.90; the junior class for \$441.40; the senior class for \$206.25.

YWCA, YMCA Elect Officers

Y.W.C.A. and Y.M.C.A. had a joint meeting Sunday, April 17 in which new cabinet members for 1943-44 were installed. Those being installed held candles, symbolizing unity, which were lighted by the outgoing presidents, Mary Ellen Caldwell and J. E. Tullos.

Y.W.C.A. officers installed were: Jean Vosburg, president; Marjorie McCleod, vice-president; Jimmie Slawson, secretary; Alice Collier, treasurer; Grace King, program chairman; Marguerite Monks, Morning Watch; Dorothy Coleman, publicity; Dixie Tarver, social; Rose McMullan, social service; Virginia Cook, devotional; Doris Ford, pianist; Lynn Slawson, chorister.

Y.M.C.A. officers are: President, Scriven Pinckard; vice-president, Howard Young; secretary, M. D. Wallace; treasurer, Lawrence May.

Wave Officer Will Be Here May 3

Will Speak In Little Theatre In Fine Arts Building at 4:30 p.m.

Chief E. A. Allen, Recruiter in charge, U. S. Navy Recruiting Sub-Station, Natchitoches, announced that a WAVE officer will speak here on Monday, May 3, 1943, at 4:30 p. m. in the Little Theatre of the Fine Arts Building.

The purpose of the WAVE Officer's speech will be to outline the unusual opportunities offered to women by the WAVES and SPARS. The WAVE officer will explain how a woman will release a man to fight at sea and at the same time travel and open for herself a new and interesting career.

All students interested are invited to attend.

1943 Potpourri Expected Here Next Week; Special Assembly Planned

Date of Arrival Uncertain Because of War

The 1943 Potpourri will be presented at a special assembly here as soon as it arrives. It is expected that the book will get here sometime next week, but the uncertainty of wartime transportation makes it impossible to determine the date at this time with certainty.

The assembly will be announced by the prolonged ringing of class bells and by the bulletin boards in Caldwell Hall and the Student

Bonds and stamps will be sold all day in the Field House, announced Mary Kathryn Griffin, chairman of the drive, and results of the competition among the four classes will be announced as soon as receipts are totaled.

Results of the contest for the title of "Queen of the Fleet" will be announced at the senior dance tonight. Candidates for this title are: Etoile Mobley, senior; Melba Jean Pope, junior; Mattsye Mae Austin, sophomore; Joyce Kilgore, freshman.

The jars belonging to these girls will remain at the bond booth in the field house up until intermission at tonight's dance, at which time their contents will be examined. Contributions may be placed in the jars up until that time. The winner is to be presented after intermission. The dance is also to feature a "special", only for members of the class having sold the most bonds and stamps.

It is hoped by those in charge of the campus drive that it will reach its \$6,000 goal by the time it closes today.

Senior Prom Is Set for Tonight

The annual senior dance is to be given tonight from 8:30 until 11:45 in the student social center, it was announced recently by Toxy Bourn, senior class president. Music for tonight's dancing will be supplied by the Swing Kings, campus dance orchestra.

Features of the affair will be the coronation of the "Queen of the Fleet" after intermission, and the special dance for members of the class having sold the greatest amount of war bonds and stamps.

Invitations to tonight's prom may be obtained at any time today in the student center. Admission prices are fifty cents per couple, thirty-five cents per stag.

E. P. Dobson, editor, will preside at the ceremony.

NOTICE

Students expecting to obtain Potpourris for owners absent from the campus must have letters authorizing the staff to deliver the annual.

During the first day of deliveries, books will be delivered to owners only. Please do not try to obtain books for other people until the next day.

CONTROVERSY RAGES OVER UPTON CLOSE'S LECTURE

CLOSE PLEADS FOR MORE REALISM

by CARMEN DE LA BARRE
Senior in Social Studies

Wednesday, April 28, the students and faculty of the college and the town people were privileged to hear a down-to-earth lecture by Upton Close, noted commentator. Mr. Close fully lived up to Dr. Kyser's introduction that in the middle of his lecture, he would have half of the audience fighting mad—if the audience was not ready to fight Mr. Close, it was at least uncomfortably jarred out its American complacency.

Mr. Close didn't mince words—his lecture was not one of the sermons one usually hears in these times—nor was it a patriotic harangue filled with such stuff as the heroic deeds our boys are performing over there; he left such stuff to the headline writers and proceeded to blast his listeners out of their comfortable little worlds with facts—facts in the face of which some squirmed and others nodded their heads in satisfaction.

Mr. Close's lecture in entity was a plea for more realism on the part of the American public. He began by vigorously condemning us for wishing to remain so uninformed as to the facts in this war—for confining our reading to the comic strips and sex novels—for refusing to come out of roseate clouds—for the typical pre-war American attitude of just give them the guns and they will finish the job—for refusing to even wish to know facts. He denounced the newspapers for indulging in the unrealistic, false headlines, for permitting commentators to feed the public's attitude that "all is well." The O. W. I. fared no better with Mr. Close for the type of propaganda it is putting out, and for its withholding of truth about shipping losses and the fiasco that was Tokyo.

Next, Mr. Close proceeded to outline the present status of the war and its probable future course—as based on years of study, research and observation at home and in the Far East. If the existing strategy of the war is not changed, he sees for us almost certain defeat—an appalling fact which no one likes even to think about, but which in the face of the speaker's unanswerable facts seems inevitable if America is not suddenly jolted into realism.

Mr. Close outlined more fully his views of a change of strategy. He sees as the only possible hope of victory a squeeze play of Japan with China's help. Europe, he says, has always gone through chaotic upheavals like this one—a struggle on the continent between the major nations for the most power. Europe will continue to have its characteristic upheavals until it realizes that separate national units cannot exist within such a small continent in this age of the airplane.

Hitler, he says, is bottled up. The real and imminent danger is in the Far East. The Japanese, now the weaker line, are daily becoming stronger while we concentrate our men, ships and ammunition on the Germans who are bottled up. All great tacticians have attacked the weakest defenses and then turned to the stronger—let us, then, he says, strike entirely at the Japs before they become too strong. Give Hitler time to use up his resources, and then hit him when he has weakened, he

CLOSE HOLDS REPUBLICAN RALLY HERE

by CHARLES CUNNINGHAM
Faculty Adviser Current Sauce

Upton Close held a Republican rally in the High School Auditorium Wednesday, when he spent almost half of his time in satirizing the President of the United States at a Lyceum Committee presentation which had advertised that he would speak on "The Pacific Front."

Now, there are some nice Republicans—we met one once—but that is not the point. What we didn't like was his approach. Just how all the personal venom belongs in such a lecture, we can't see.

When he finally got into the announced subject, on which he is supposed to be an authority, he proved very interesting (if he is right and if the Allied war strategists are all wrong) in saying that we are violating the fundamental strategy of war by attacking the enemy in his strongest points, instead of in his weakest—Japan. Meanwhile the weak enemy is getting stronger every minute so that she'll be able to hold us off indefinitely, Mr. Close said.

Condemning the progressive system of education, the New Deal, our war strategy, the American newspapers (and the radio commentators when questioned) and making sneering remarks at the President, Russia, England, Willkie, Churchill, and the British Empire, Mr. Close presented himself to us as a person embittered because the authorities ignore him and his advice.

One questioner asked him whether or not he thought the Russians weren't helping us by killing Germans—this question was provoked by his statement that we are not getting anything from our aid to Russia and didn't ask anything.

Really, Mr. Close, with all his talk about realism, seemed altogether to have forgot that we are fighting a war for survival because we were attacked, NOT because we have any great ideals about the whole mess. As we see it, what's wrong with being linked with Russia and England in this war? After all, we'd welcome a skunk who'd help us in any fight. Why not welcome England's Tories and Imperialists and Russia's Communists, even if we don't like them. Incidentally, many of us do.

Mr. Close had a great deal to say about the colossal American ego; we agree that he exemplifies this ego to the fullest.

A. A. U. P. TO MEET TUESDAY, MAY 4

There will be a meeting of the Louisiana State Normal College chapter of the American Association of University Professors on Tuesday, May 4, at 7:30, in Fine Arts, Studio B. The program is a professional one. Dr. Clarence Dugdale will speak on the humanities in wartime; and discussion of the topic will be invited. The meeting is open to all interested members of the faculty.

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Mr. Close ended with the expression of a firm belief that Americans were not too ignorant to see the dangers, to do something about them—to be realistic



Close Spurs Some to Thought

Post facto publicity devoted to Upton Close's Wednesday evening lecture is perhaps a poor substitute for the advance notices of which he was virtually deprived—said deprivation robbing him, no doubt, of some of the audience he justly deserved.

But Close's talk stirred the campus—those who became cognizant of his utterances via the grapevine system as well as those who were seated in the High School Auditorium Wednesday at 8:00 p. m., to an almost unprecedented peak.

Noting Thursday morning's various heated discussions of Close-ism, we seized upon the opportunity to record a few student reactions to the lecture.

Approaching students at random, and asking for brief statements of their impressions of Close's talk, we jotted down the following opinions:

John Nicosia, Normal gridster: "We ought to have more people like him around to open up the eyes and minds of the people of the United States."

Betty Reynolds, freshman music major: "I don't know of anything you could quote, but my roomie and I sat up and talked it over for ages after the lecture—and I couldn't sleep all night for thinking about the war."

Sam Kendrick, erstwhile editor of the Sauce: "When discussing the Pacific, Close was superb, when expressing his political views, he was the usual street-corner bigot. He was worth hearing, though, he made us think."

Grace King, next year's Sauce editor: "I liked the realistic side of it—and I liked the optimistic note on which he ended. I disagreed with his remark that South American is doing nothing about the war except get rich. On the whole, I thought it the best lyceum number we've had this year."

Jake Lechner, English major from New Orleans: "I liked it—I liked it very much. I thought for the masses it wasn't good—it tended to break down morale. But I thought his opinions were well-founded and his talk was significant of the fact that in America one may say what he thinks."

Peggy Myers, senior home-ec major from Pennsylvania: "I just think we need about 50,000,000 more like him to come around and jolt us out of our lethargy."

Frank DeLoache, student of business administration: "I agreed with him almost wholly." (DeLoache had more to say, but your correspondent's shorthand is sadly inadequate.)

Kerlin Sutton, local freshman: "I say no need for its being a political rally. I didn't like his idea of neglecting everything except the Pacific. I don't see why, if he's such an authority on everything, he isn't running the army and everything else."

CAPITAL TO CAMPUS

A.C.P.'s Correspondent Reports from Washington

That Others May Live

Attention of tomorrow's career women is hereby directed to today's No. 1 Womanpower shortage—nursing.

Public health officials in Washington are gravely concerned about this shortage. Fighting and working America must be kept well. It takes good nursing to do it.

Unless the nation's nurse power is reinforced by enrollment of 65,000 students in nursing schools this year, America faces a real threat of great suffering and loss of life through epidemics, disaster, accidents or enemy action.

The statistics which picture this shortage are astounding, especially for industrial boom towns near war plants. Thousands of nurses are in demand in such spots—yet hospitals are frequently non-existent. Sometimes even doctors are not available.

The average number of patients under treatment in hospitals at any one time has increased 8 per cent over 1941 and is mounting steadily. Thousands of nursing vacancies now exist in government and civilian institutions.

The result is tremendous pressure on available nurses . . . an average of 2.54 patients per nurse every 24 hours including all administrators, supervisors, instructors, staff nurses and student nurses . . . 10 patients per nurse in tuberculosis hospitals . . . 75 patients per nurse in mental hospitals.

The shortage is aggravated by entrance of about 33,000 nurses into the Army and Navy nurse corps, which still require 3,000 more each month.

More and more nurses—65,000 more this year—is the only hope of thousands of sick and injured. That's a wartime challenge to women to plan their lives so that others may live.

No Quiet on the Campus Front

So far, 488 colleges and universities have been named as "approved for inspection and possible negotiation of contract" under the Army and Navy specialized training programs. The list is virtually complete and it's likely very few more institutions will be needed.

But still there's no certainty in the future for harried college administrators.

For one thing, needs of the services themselves are not static. They'll change with the tides of war and the scope of America's participation. Another uncertainty is the lack of assurance of the number of men to be detailed to the training programs. And it now appears the Army's program

will not begin any sizeable operations for several weeks and probably will not reach full speed until June or July.

These uncertainties have led many schools to delay adjustments to the specialized programs until contracts actually are signed.

With the service lists completed, schools not named are facing again the question of how they can best serve the war effort. Civilian and military officials hope they'll remember the oft-reiterated statement that the most serious manpower shortages are in technical and professional fields. They're also anxious that no discrimination is made between students in uniform and students in civvies.

Both are preparing for vital, patriotic contributions to the war.

Will the Jobs Last?

Not even history's greatest armed conflict can divert attention from the problem of earning a living. College students going into the services want to know whether they'll have jobs when they come home. Civilians in war industry, particularly women, wonder whether they will still have jobs when it's all over.

A recent Gallup poll revealed that 79 per cent of today's war workers think their present jobs will continue after the war. Related to this confidence, which may decrease as demobilization sends millions of men back to the labor market, is the Gallup finding that more than half of the public has not heard of the National Resources Planning Board's report on postwar plans which provides a stepping stone to full employment.

Down at CIO headquarters on Washington's natty Jackson place, however, Phil Murray is worrying about mass unemployment of women after the war.

"There is a serious possibility that at least 10 million workers will lose their jobs within three months after the hostilities cease," he says. "That will affect women more than men. They will automatically be dismissed when war contracts are cancelled or completed. As newcomers, women will have relatively few skills and comparatively little seniority."

All this adds up to a need for full employment after the war. "If something near full employment can be achieved," Murray feels, "than women will continue to be welcomed into industry and the professions. Age-long barriers against women tend to disappear when their services are really required."

So long as men who are able

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and eager to work are not assured of jobs, however, women will continue to suffer from economic discrimination.

"You Won Anyhow"

News of college students' fervid devotion to freedom continues to filter through from the European underground. One of the most recent reports received in Washington tells of more executions of University of Munich students accused of distributing leaflets calling Adolph Hitler a murderer.

Among students who paid with their lives for speaking out against Hitler were a medical student, Hans Scholl, his sister Sophia, and another medical student named Christoph Froh.

The students showed great courage during the court proceedings. When Hans Scholl was sentenced to death, he called to his judges: "Soon you will stand where I am standing now."

After the executions, the words "You won anyhow" were painted in large letters on the university walls.

A mass meeting of the student body was called to hear the rector condemn the anti-Nazi activities. Only a third of the student body attended.

Wartime Washington

Up on Capitol Hill, in the public lands and surveys committee room of the Senate office building, is one of the busiest offices in wartime Washington.

It's the room where most of the mail about the Ball-Burton-Hatch-Hill resolution on postwar planning goes for sorting, filing and reference. It's another office "manned" by volunteer women who want to help a good cause along. Directing much of the 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. activity is Mrs. Joseph H. Ball, wife of Minnesota's junior senator who is a sponsor of the resolution.

One of the most voluminous files in the room is a soldier's file, packed with letters from service men and their parents. Dominant theme of these letters is: "We want this never to happen again. There must be some plan to maintain peace and yours sounds like a good one."

This Collegiate World

By Associated Collegiate Press

The student with average mental capacity is far less a problem to his professors than his brighter classmate, reports Dr. James D. Page, instructor in psychology at Temple university.

The average student, according to Dr. Page, oft-times becomes a better leader because he is better able to organize his daily study routine and fights just a little harder.

Better students fail to attain good grades, states Dr. Page, because of disorganized study habits and failure to establish a goal for themselves.

Noah Webster didn't write the first English dictionary — and neither did Samuel Johnson.

A study by Dr. DeWitt T. Starnes, professor of English at the University of Texas, has uncovered much of the history of the English dictionary, showing that the first such volume was prepared in 1604—more than a century before Samuel Johnson brought out his own ponderous definitions.

Another study by Dr. Starnes brought to light much new information about the history of Latin-English and English-Latin lexicography. These dictionaries were in circulation among scholars from the Fifteenth century on, Dr. Starnes has discovered.

NORMALITES IN THE SERVICES

Lt. Erbon W. Wise Promoted to Captain

Lieutenant Erbon Wise, serving in the finance department, was promoted to the rank of captain on March 22. He is now in England. Lieut. Wise graduated from the college here in 1941. He was a member of the Davis Players, secretary-treasurer of Demeter, feature editor of the Current Sauce in 1937, business manager of the Sauce in 1939 and editor of "The Vocationalist" in 1938-39.

A-C Cadet Noble Milam Commissioned Ensign

Aviation Cadet Willie Noble Milam, of Natchitoches, has completed a course of training at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida, and has been commissioned an Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Ensign Milam is the son of Mr. Walter Milam, also of Natchitoches. He is a former student of Louisiana State Normal College and Louisiana State University and holds an A.B. degree from the latter.

Lt. J. S. LeBlanc Instructor At Carlsbad A.A.F.

After completing a rigid course of study, Second Lieutenant John Simon LeBlanc, was selected to remain as an instructor in the navigation school at the Carlsbad Army Air Field, Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Lieutenant LeBlanc is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Simon LeBlanc.

Rudolph Pharis Promoted to PFC

Rudolph Pharis, son of Mrs. E. S. Pharis, has been promoted to Private First Class. He is station-

ed at Sioux Falls, S. D.

Lt. J. Paul Powell Spends Last Week Here

Lt. (j.g.) J. Paul Powell, on leave, spent recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Powell. Lt. Powell spent the past year on the U.S.S. Colorado somewhere in the Pacific War area, as radio engineer. He was enroute to Philadelphia.

A. C. Carl P. Henry Graduates From Primary Flying School

Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Henry recently received an invitation to the graduation of their son, Carl P. Henry, Jr., Aviation Cadet, from Primary Flying School at Eagle Field, Dos Palos, Calif., which took place on the afternoon of Sunday, April 11. From there he will be transferred to another field for advanced flying.

A. C. Pat Lawney Visits Parents Here

A. C. Pat Lawney, Army Air Corps, who has completed his basic training at Walnut Ridge, Arkansas, spent several days in Natchitoches with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawney, prior to being sent to another field for advanced training. Miss Charlotte Lawney of Shreveport joined her brother and parents here for a few days visit.

Karam Thomas Promoted To Corporal

Pvt. Karam Thomas has been transferred from Virginia to Lexington, Kentucky, where he will take a three months' course in advanced surveying at the State University. He was promoted to the rank of corporal at the time

of his transfer. He is anxious to hear from friends and his address is Phoenix Hotel, Room 873, Lexington, Ky.

Lt. Col. Thos. A. Baker Spends Easter With His Family Here

Lt. Colonel Thos. A. Baker spent the Easter holidays with Mrs. Baker and their three children, Thos. A. Baker, Jr., Cora Lee and Marietta, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lallah P. Hill. He was enroute to the West coast from several weeks in Florida.

Normal B. S. U. Holds Annual Spring Retreat

The Baptist Student Union Council of the Louisiana State Normal College met recently for its annual spring planning meeting and retreat. After assembling in the Baptist Center, the group went to the home of Mrs. J. E. Keegan, Sr. for the meeting and supper.

After a social period the Council divided into respective committees and planned work for the coming year. When the committee meetings were over, Miss Edith Kuhn, president, introduced Prof. H. J. Colvin, faculty adviser, who

gave the devotional on "God's Will to Desire."

Supper was served on the spacious back porch after which a brief social period followed. Miss Kuhn called the meeting to order and presented a devotional on "God's Will to Know."

Reports were given from each committee as follows: Enlistment, Grace Sanson, Harrisonburg; Social, Marie Miller, Haynesville; Devotional, M. D. Wallace, Converse; Publicity, Frank DeLoache, Keatchie; Missionary, Dorothy Coleman, Jena. A consecration message climaxed the program, rendered by Rev. Troy V. Wheeler, local pastor. Miss Josephine Harris is Baptist Student Counselor and she was assisted by Mrs. Keegan and Mrs. W. E. Bryan, local W. M. U. president.

Others who attended were: Jewell Watson, Jena, former president; Cecil Owens, Athens; Winifred Hilliard, Shreveport; Alice Blackman, Harrisonburg; Kathryn Henry, Athens; Homer Coleman, Dunn; Edna Earl Jones, Bogalusa; Marguerite Monks and Ruth Monger, Welch; Thelma Houston, Sarepta; Ila Nichols, Boyce; Ruth Sisk, Winnsboro; Dixie Tarver, Oak Grove; Kathleen Killen, Natchitoches; Juanita Bass, Alexandria; Ruby Elkins, Minden; Helen Louise Dupree, Shreveport; Lyn Slawson, Mansfield; Elaine Killen, Natchitoches; Sara Jane Simpson, Natchitoches, and Louise Wood, Powhatan.

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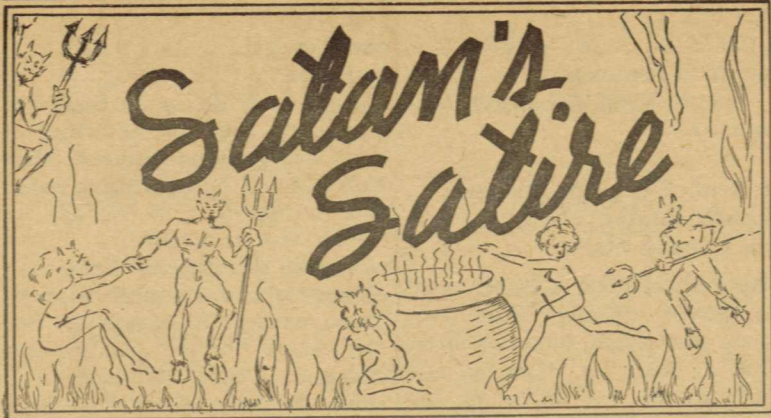
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Peggy Montegut apparently is rationing her date nights so that there'll be enough for all. Witness the way she keeps **James Taylor** in reserve for filling her week nights when her Navy beau can't get out. The sailor, of course, has the week-ends equally monopolized.

Note en passant:

An interesting quartet of Wednesday night was composed of **Betty Bell** and **Dennan Holmes** on the front seat and **Beth Funderburk** and **Garlington Feazell** on the back.

The above-mentioned Miss Bell fared well on Tuesday night, too. (Or do we mean "however"?) It was then that she received a surprise visit from her cousin. Not that there's anything so very exciting about a cousin's visit, even if said cousin is young, male and from L.S.U. But it was the young gent with the cousin who caused all the flutter. But SMOOTH!, we hear.

News item: Residents of Varnado hall have announced the adoption of a new theme song—a blues ditty. With the locking of back doors to the building some time ago, and the recent nailing up of first floor windows, the gals are now wailing, "Oh, If I Had the Wings of an Angel!"

Kemp (Blimp) Tucker, one of our departing E. R. C.'s, gave **Joy Davis** a little something to remember him by last Friday night, as he nervously pushed a diamond (of no mean proportions) onto her third finger, left hand.

Another item on the side of things NOT satirical (this makes two of them, in case our meanings haven't been clear), is the recent marriage of **Dorothy Jane Selby** to **Mitchell Lum**, L.S.U. grid star. The merger was drawn up during the recent Easter holidays, in Bastrop, where the romance was begun 'way back in the tenth grade at Bastrop high school. Congratulations!

Of interest to a few gay-old-timers (if any are left) is the visit here this week of the army air corps' **Buddy Holder**. Holder managed to get a few days off from his duties at Stillwater, Oklahoma—and the campus saw him looking none the worse for his recent bout with scarlet fever.

And of PARTICULAR interest to **Dede Hart** is the visit of the same air corps' **Pat Lawney**, who is stationed in Arkansas (heaven help him).

Any boy-girl relationship is fairly interesting but when the foremost pillar of the local pseudo-intelligentsia starts getting kittenish with the No. 1 advocate of brawn over brain, that gets into the realm of front-page news. In other words, maybe you have wondered as we have about the heart warming little affair now running rampant with the intellect and emotions, respectively, of **Mary Ellen Caldwell** and **Herman "Tarzan" Randall**. Their friendly chats should border on the humorous, what with Mary Ellen having the faculty representative's address all sacked up for delivery on Senior Day, while "Tarzan" has uttered two undying quotations in an equal number (2) of years on the campus, they being: "Haven't I got a big chest?" and "Do you think I'm too short to run?"

PATSY CLYDE AND MARY K. GRIFFIN TO PERFORM TONIGHT

Miss **Mary Kathryn Griffin**, pianist, and Miss **Patricia Clyde**, soprano, are to be presented in recital by the college department of music tonight at 7:30 in the Little Theatre of the Fine Arts Building. Both girls are graduating seniors in the college music department.

Miss **Clyde**, whose home is in Alexandria, is a student of **Walter Mason**, college professor of music. She is a member of the Purple Jacket club, a member of **Kappa Delta Pi**, national honorary scholastic fraternity, as well as being president this year of the senior women's dormitory and of the women's council.

Miss **Griffin**, of **Vivian**, is a member of **Sigma Sigma Sigma** sorority and a member of the Purple Jacket club. She has served this year as secretary-treasurer of the student body. Miss **Griffin** is a student of **Lorane Brittain**, head

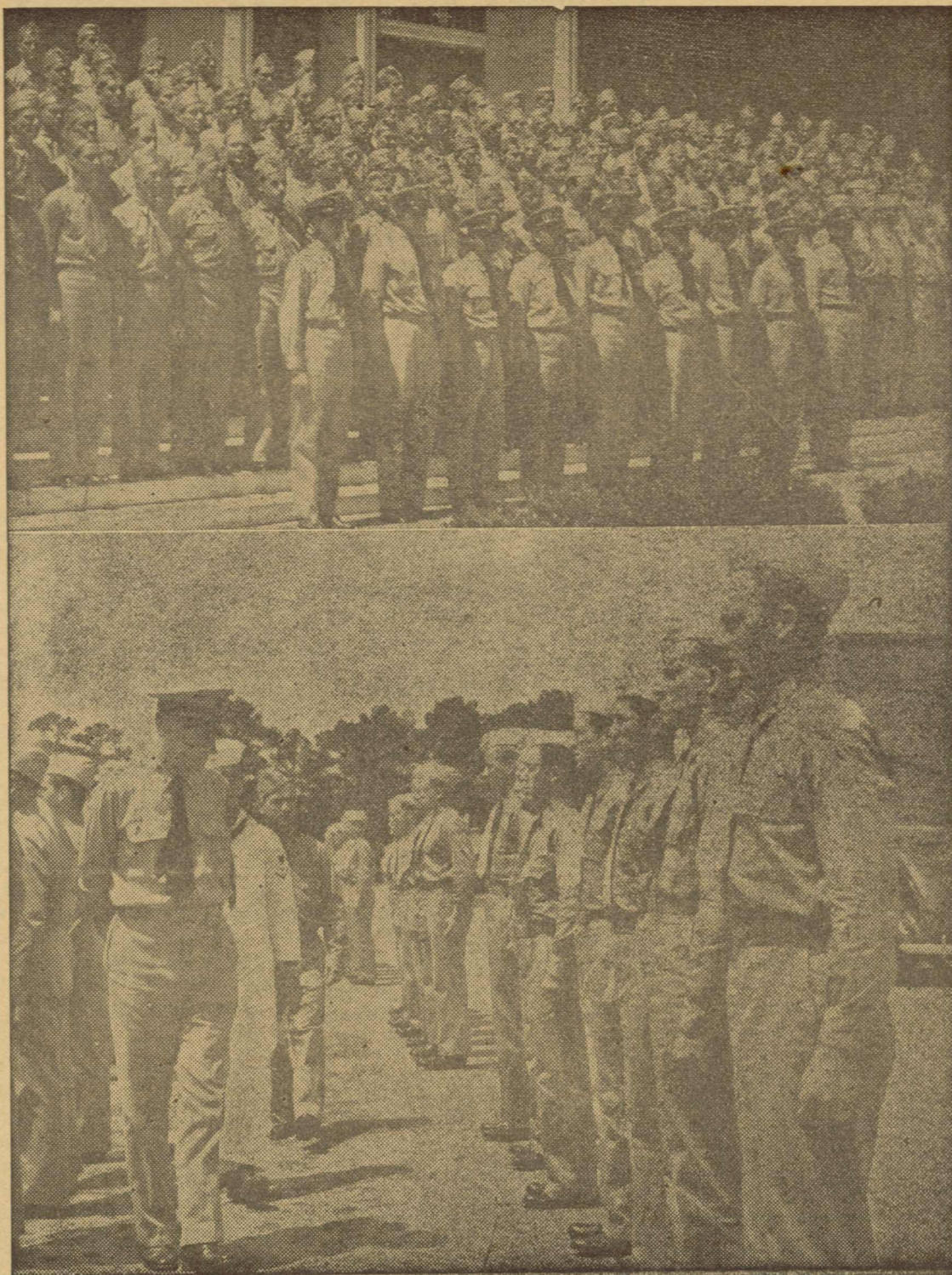
of the department of music. Tonight's program is to be as follows:

- Solveigs Lied (Solveig's Song)—Grieg
- Sueignung (To You)—R. Strauss
- Die Nacht (Night)—R. Strauss
- Patricia Clyde**
- Prelude, a minor—Bach
- Prelude pour le piano—Debussy
- Mary Kathryn Griffin**
- "One Fine Day" from Madame Butterfly—Puccini
- Patricia Clyde**
- Nocturne, c minor—Chopin
- Scherzo, b flat minor—Chopin
- Mary Kathryn Griffin**
- Blackbird's Song—Scott
- Crossing the Bar—Rasbach
- Melody Out of My Heart—Warren
- Patricia Clyde**

LIBRARY HAS MANY FILMS

The college Library now has available for distribution a considerable number of films. In addition to general subjects, the collection includes a number of government, war and civilian defense films. The films are loaned free of charge. Out-of-town users are required to pay transportation charges on the films.

It Was "Sky Anchors Aweigh" ...



... for these men in the first graduating class in the Navy Flight Preparatory School here two weeks ago. At the top is pictured the staff of Naval officers in charge of the school and a part of the class on the front steps of Normal Auditorium, and below is **Lt. Commander F. H. Mitchell**, officer in charge, making final inspection of the class. Most of the members of the class have been transferred to other schools, with several still remaining "on board" awaiting transfer and 25 enrolled in the C. A. A. program here.

FRENCH CLUB

by **GRACE KING**

Attention French Club Members (and would-be members)

The French Club needs your help and support at once; we have a very special problem. What is it—a drive to make money? No! A way to spend some!

Yes—or rather, Oui! We have seven dollars in the treasury. Mais certainement—sept dollars. We don't know why our small circle should have accumulated so much. We aren't asking you to figure this problem out for us; we merely want you to attend the two or three meetings we will have before this term ends and to help us decide on the official budget. How about it?

(Of course, this sounds very suspiciously like propaganda for something—like an axe to grind—like a trap to cure and catch members. But why should it be? "You tal me dat.")

NEW FIRE ALARM WARNING IN EFFECT

The fire alarm warning signal on the campus was changed this week due to a conflict between the old signal and the recently announced air raid warning signals. **S. W. Nelken**, campus Civilian Defense chairman, has announced.

The new fire signal is to be a series of short blasts for one minute on the small whistle regularly blown at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 a. m., 1:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m.

Books An' Stuff

Books found on the new book shelf in the Library:

Jane's **All the World's Aircraft**. (The complete reference book).
Spencer. **Youth Goes to War**. (Victory is your problem).

Rauschenbush. **How to Dress in Wartime**. (If clothes rationing comes, what will it mean?)

Childs. **Propaganda by Short Wave**. (Eavesdropping on a world at war).

Ludwig. **Mediterranean**. (The saga of a sea of destiny).

Nourse. **The Four Hundred Million**. (A short history of the Chinese).

Andrews. **Our New Army**. (A cross section of our vast fighting-machine).

Williams. **The People and Politics of Latin America**. (A survey of our neighbors.)

Straight. **Make This the Last War**. (The future of the United Nations).

NORMALITES IN SERVICE

Lieutenant **Louis W. Wise** of the Army Air Corps has recently been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant. Lieutenant **Wise**, who is from Boyce and who left Normal in 1941, has been in service eighteen months. He is now stationed in Panama, where he serves as a head photographer.

Auxiliary **Edna Lee Brewton**, of Goldonna, has completed basic training at the First Women's Army Auxiliary Corps Training Center at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, and has been selected for specialist in Administrative School. She is to receive additional training in a specialized field. Miss **Brewton** is a former student of the college.

Campus Etiquette

Don't talk loudly in the halls and outside the buildings where classes are being held. Someone might throw a chair at you. It's too hot to have to close the doors because someone is hog-calling in the hallways.

And the grass should be growing well now; but lazy or thoughtless people are blitzing it by taking short cuts. Of course, if you're on your way to sell bonds or wrap bandages, you might need to take the grass road. If not, walk on the banquettes.



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General Claire Chennault of Flying Tiger Fame Invited To Return to Alma Mater

Was Student Here In 1910

Officials of the college and the Navy Flight Preparatory School here extended an invitation this week to Maj. Gen. Claire L. Chennault, famous commander of the Flying Tigers now paying an official visit to Washington, to visit the campus before he returns to his command in China.

The telegram sent General Chennault by local college officials reads: "Your old college, now the site of a navy flight preparatory school, extends you a cordial invitation to honor it by visiting its campus and reviewing the cadets should you return to your native state before rejoining your command in China. We assure you that such a visit would be greatly appreciated by faculty, students, cadets, alumni, and citizens of Natchitoches."

The telegram was signed by President Joe Farrar, Coach H. Lee Prather, faculty co-ordinator of the navy school, who knows General Chennault personally, and Lieut. Com. F. H. Mitchell, officer in charge of the navy school here.

General Chennault attended the college here in 1910 when he was 18 years old. According to the records in the registrar's office at the college, he was enrolled in physics, agriculture, arithmetic, algebra, grammar, and theory and art of teaching, in all of which he made excellent grades.

Classified as a student from the Gilbert high school and a transfer from L.S.U. Chennault first attended the college here for the purpose of renewing a first grade certificate to teach in the public schools of the state. He later enrolled in the fall session as a regular student. Records in the registrar's office show that his birthday falls on May 31.

Two present members of the teaching staff at the college were members of the faculty when Chennault was here as a student. Professor R. Winstead, who became a member of the faculty in 1908, is now teaching in the Department of Languages, and Professor A. M. Hopper, who was a teacher here in 1910, is now instructing cadets in navigation in the navy school here.

Officials here stated this week that they had received information that General Chennault will probably visit his home in Waterproof before returning to his command in China. At this time an effort will be made to have him take time off to pay a visit to the local college campus, they stated.

ANNE SMITH WEDS
LT. WARREN GRAY

An interesting event of April 21 was the marriage of Miss Lelia Anne Smith to Lt. Warren Burns Gray, army air forces.

A sophomore at the college, Mrs. Gray is a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, and for the past two years has been featured in the beauty section of the Pet-pourri. Lt. Gray attended Normal last year. He is now stationed in Houston, Texas, where Mrs. Gray will join him at the close of the current semester.

No Current Sauce Next Week

There will be no Current Sauce next week, it was announced yesterday by Louise Hawkins, Sauce editor. There is to be only one more issue of the college paper during the current semester; this issue will be published Saturday, May 22.

College Coeds Top Bond Quota

Women students of the college topped their quota of \$6,000 in the War Loan Drive, having sold a total of \$6,320.50 when the drive ended Saturday night.

The Freshman class, with Nancy Ann Lynn as chairman, led in totals sold, reporting \$3,137.84; they were named "Sweethearts of the Fleet" and Miss Lynn was named "Sweetheart of the Fleet" by Mrs. Sam Levy, chairman of the Women's Committee for the parish. They were honored by having a special no-break at the Senior Dance, at which the announcements were made.

In the voting for "Queen of the Fleet," Etoile Mobley of Robeline led and was awarded the title and fifty dollar War Bonds; Mattsye Mae Austin was second and was given a twenty-five dollar bond; and Joyce Killgore and Melba Jean Pope received ten dollars and five dollars worth of War Stamps for third and fourth places, respectively.

The Sophomore class, Voncille Williams, chairman, was second in total of bonds sold, with \$1,855.88 reported. Miss Corinne Fournet and Mrs. Levy assisted in the drive. Enough bonds and stamps were sold to outfit 67 sailors.

Student Recital To Be Tonight

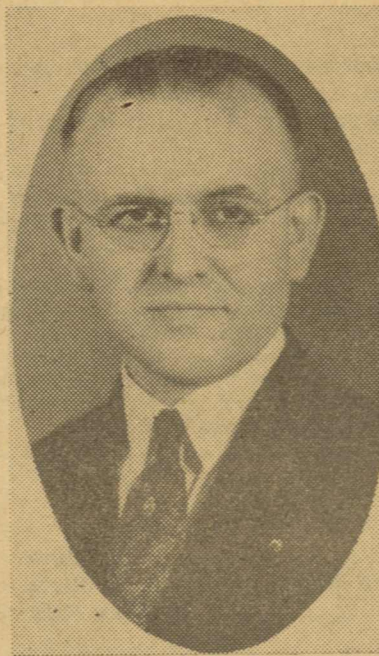
Etoile Mobley, soprano, Edith Kuhn, contralto, and Barbara Graves, pianist, are to be presented in recital by the college department of music tonight at 7:30 in the Little Theatre. Miss Mobley and Miss Kuhn are students of Mrs. Lilian G. McCook, while Miss Graves studies with Lorane Brittain. All three girls are students in the music department.

A graduating senior, Miss Mobley is a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority. Miss Kuhn, a junior, is a member of the Purple Jacket club and of Kappa Delta Pi fraternity, as well as being president of the Baptist Student Union on the campus. Miss Graves, a freshman, belongs to Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority.

The program for this evening is as follows:
On Wings of Song—Mendelssohn
Mary's Cradle Song—Reger
An Open Secret—Woodman
Miss Mobley
When I Am Laid in Earth
—Purcell

Chloe—Ed. German
A Visit to the Moon—Dunhill
Miss Kuhn
The Sunken Cathedral—Debussy
Capriccio, a minor—Dohnanyi
Miss Graves
Noble Sirs, I Salute You—Meyerbeer

Baccalaureate, Commencement Speakers At College



These two Louisiana educators will be the featured speakers at the 1943 Commencement Exercises at the college here this month. Dr. J. Norris Palmer, left, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Baton Rouge, will preach the baccalaureate sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday, May 23; and Dr. Rufus C. Harris, President of Tulane University, New Orleans, and member of the State Board of Education, will deliver the annual commencement address at the graduation exercises at 10:30 a. m., Monday, May 24.

Two V7 Reservists Called To Duty Potpourri Not Expected Next Week

ERC's Still Uncertain

Alan Bienvenu and James Richard, seniors at the college, received their calls to active duty with the Navy V7 this week. Both men will report to the Naval school at Notre Dame University on May 31.

So far the 17 members of the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps who left school on April 22 have not received information as to when they will be called to active duty.

Janet Shively Awarded L.S.U. Scholarship

Janet Shively, senior in the physical education department, was awarded the Louisiana State university scholarship by the Normal faculty at its regular monthly meeting Monday.

This scholarship, awarded annually, carries a stipend of \$270 and remission of all fees except the diploma fee.

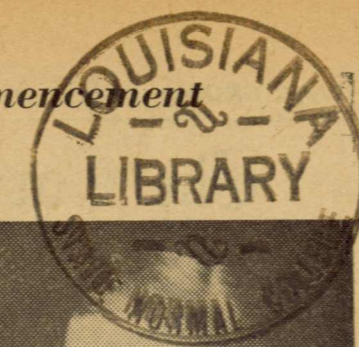
COLLEGE WILL HAVE AMPLE ICE WATER

Four new water fountains are now under construction on the campus, this week announced S. J. Sibley, business manager of the college. These "underground ice-water springs" will furnish an ample and convenient supply of ice-cold drinking water for the entire campus, Mr. Sibley added.

One of the fountains is to be located in the dormitory quadrangle in front of the dining hall. Another is being constructed between the Student Center and the college auditorium. A third is to be between the men's gymnasium and Caspari Hall while the fourth will be located in the center of the academic court, at the site of the old fountain.

All four drinking fountains are to be completed and in operation by next Friday, said Mr. Sibley.

Miss Mobley
Revery—Arensky
Windbells—Larson
My Johann—Grieg
Miss Miriam Ewing and Miss Mildred Courtney will accompany the vocal soloists.



High School Senior Day Here Today

Seniors from more than 100 high schools throughout Northwest Louisiana have been invited to attend the first annual high school senior day on the campus here today, officials of the college announced.

Opening with registration in the drawing room of Varnado hall at 10 a. m., the day's activities will get under way with a tour of the campus under the direction of the Purple Jacket club, honor organization at the college. The tour will feature work by the Home Economics and Commerce departments.

A highlight of the day will be an assembly honoring the seniors in the college Auditorium at 10:40 a. m. President Joe Farrar will welcome the seniors and Mrs. Eleanore H. Meade of Gramercy, vice-president of the State Board of Education, will address the high school graduates at the assembly.

A dye exhibit will be given by the chemistry department at the assembly and music will be furnished by the college glee club and the concert band.

Other features of the senior day here will include a picnic lunch on the campus at 12:15 p. m., a play in the Little Theatre at 1:15 p. m., a physical education program at 2 p. m., a moving picture in the Visual Education Room of the

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College Calendar

Saturday, May 8

Normal Wells: Wesley Foundation Picnic

Women's Gymnasium: Play Party, 8:30-11:00 p. m.

Little Theater: Student Recital, 7:30 p. m.

Sunday, May 9

Newman Club Meeting, 1:15 p. m.

Monday, May 10

Auditorium: Naval Recreational Sing, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, May 11

Sorority and Fraternity Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

BSU Council Meeting, 7:00-7:45 p. m.

Wednesday, May 12

Auditorium: Phi Mu Alpha Program, 12:45-1:15 p. m.

Student Center: Informal Dance, 6:30-7:45 p. m.

Thursday, May 13

Choral Room FA: A Cappella Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Green Room FA: Davis Players Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Y House: General YWCA Meeting, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Old House: Purple Jacket Party, 6:30 p. m.

Kappa Delta Pi Initiates Twelve, Elects Officers

At a meeting at seven o'clock on Wednesday in the Y. W. C. A. House Kappa Delta Pi instituted twelve new members: Aileen Addison, Mr. Lorane Brittain, Dorothy Coleman, Mrs. Edith Doerr, Doris Ford, Mary Joy Angle, Edith Kuhn, Ruth Monger, Betty Rose Kinchen, Julia Pace, Gloria St. John, and Dixie Tarver. After the initiation these new members presented a clever "stunt program."

New officers of Kappa Delta Pi were announced as follows: president, Joyce Baxley; vice president, Billie Elston; secretary, Dixie Tarver; and recording historian, Julia Pace.

Campus Etiquette

In America it is customary to walk on the right side of the sidewalk; if everyone does, then we'll not have to dance a fandango everytime we meet.

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Congratulations

Meriting hearty congratulations and thanks are the campus powers behind the construction of the four water fountains, now being erected at vantage points on the campus. These drinking fountains will fill a long-felt need, and, coming at this particular time of year, will be immediately appreciated by students, faculty members, cadets and sailors.

WOMEN ARE MEN IN COMING PLAY

by JIMMY LOU

Since another item (namely MEN) has been added to the already long list of rationed articles at the college, a substitute had to be found—and Miss Annetta Wood, of the speech faculty, lost no time in finding it. So if you see certain females strolling about the campus with boyish haircuts, slightly exaggerated walks and husky, booming voices, don't run for Miss Bowers. It will be only the "male" end of the cast in rehearsal for "The Taming of the Shrew."

Perhaps it is a bit difficult to imagine such sweet little tidbits as Annie Sue Miller, Maxine Bell and Carolyn Russell being transformed into fat, rotund gentlemen, or cackle-voiced grandpa's, while on the other hand, we think Miss Wood used type casting in selecting such rough-and-tumble females as Juanita Lee and Lynn Steed for the villain and hero, respectively.

The play itself is an uproarious comedy by William Shakespeare. Witty lines, continuous action and colorful costumes serve to make the play one of the finest ever presented to a Normal audience. The outdoor theatre, which lends itself well to a production of this sort, is being prepared, and already rehearsals are being held there.

In Shakespeare's day, no one would have started at a sudden break in the thin treble of sweet Bianca's tenor voice, so bear with us, and be equally as tolerant of an all-women cast as was the London audience of the late 16th century of their all-male cast.

Consumers' Education Class Demonstrates Shoe Care

Of interest to a ration-minded campus is the shoe-care display now occupying a prominent spot in a window of the college Book Store. The display was prepared by Miss Ruby Duncelman's class in consumers' education.

Featured in the display are suggestions as to how shoes should be properly fitted when purchased, as well as timely tips on how best to care for shoes to insure longer and more satisfactory wear.

NORMALITES IN SERVICE

A communication recently received in the Current Sauce office from Don Mike Stothart, who, before leaving college this semester was business manager of the 1943 Potpourri, announces that Stothart is now stationed at Camp Barkeley, Texas. Stothart has been assigned to training in the army medical corps.

A recent visitor on the campus here was Carroll Pouncey, associate editor of the 1941 Current Sauce. Pouncey, now a radioman in the U. S. Merchant Marine, has just completed training in Boston, Massachusetts, and is now stationed in San Diego.

Graduate to Manage Polk Cafeteria

Miss Eula Bishop, Oakdale, has been added to the Service Club personnel at Camp Polk and will manage the cafeteria, it was announced by Colonel John K. Boles, camp commander.

Miss Bishop, a graduate of the college in 1938, succeeded Miss

Elizabeth Bateman who had been cafeteria manager since its opening in June, 1941.

Kenneth I. Durr Promoted To 1st Lieutenant

Kenneth I. Durr, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Durr, of Marthaville, La., has been promoted from 2nd Lieutenant to First Lieutenant in the Quartermaster Corps. He is assigned to Company I of the 11th Regiment in Camp Lee's Quartermaster Replacement Training Center and serves as a technical instructor in the Administration, Supply, and Clerical Schools.

Lieutenant Durr, graduate of the college with a B. S. degree in 1939, was formerly employed by the Natchitoches Parish school board as a commercial teacher. Inducted into the Army, he was at Fort Eustis, Va., when selected for officers training and was commissioned upon graduation from the Quartermaster Officer Candidate School on Oct. 16, 1942.

Freshman Commissioners Are Called Sunday

The Freshman Commissioners for the school year of 1943 to 1944 were called on last Sunday evening at six o'clock, at a program

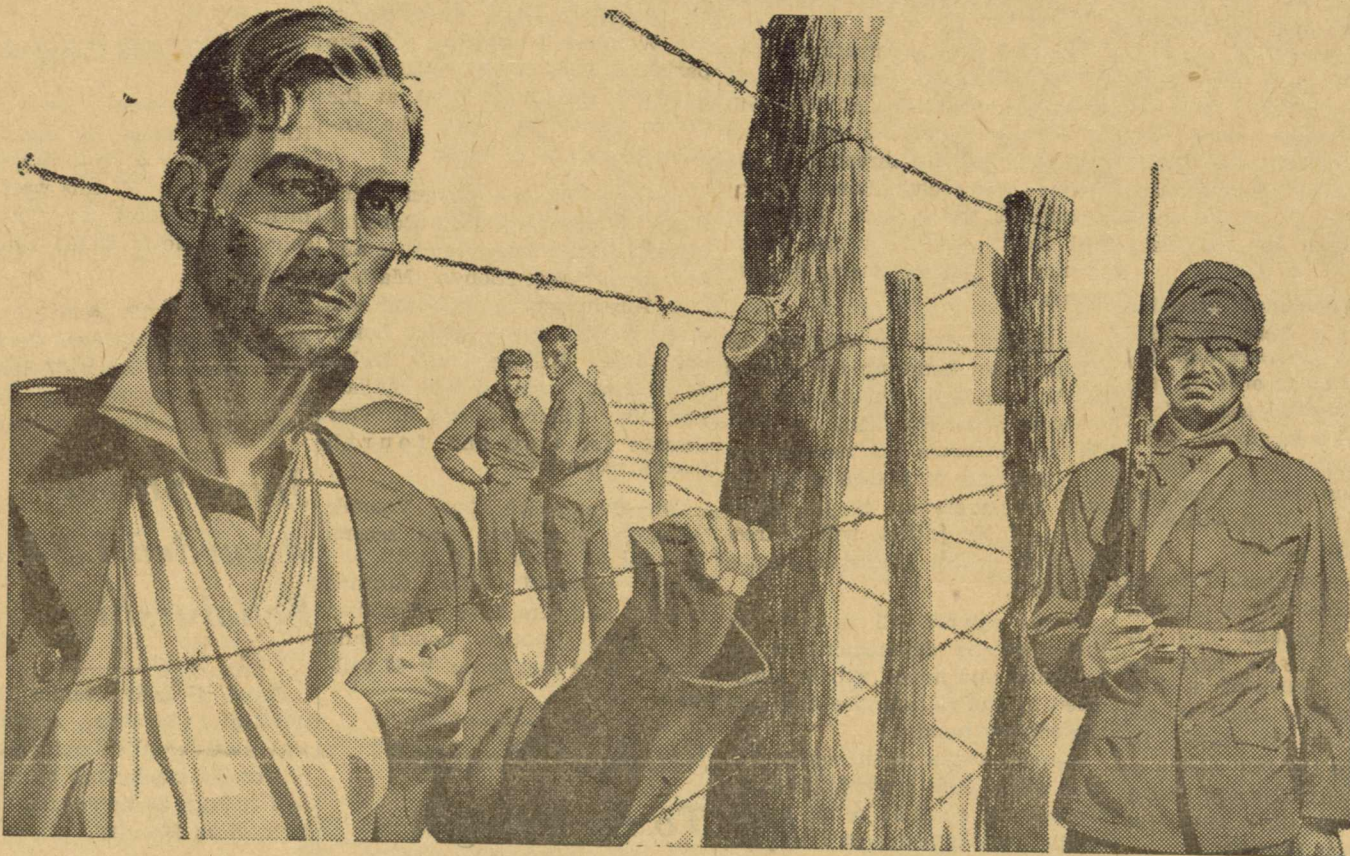
in the Little Theatre. Dr. Farrar spoke to the group, making as the subject of his talk the pioneer ideals which young Americans must recapture in order to face the problems of the present. Then the presidents of the three religious organizations forming the Freshman Commission called the new members.

Anna Belle Landry, president of Newman Club, called Pat Lyons, Gloria Gautreaux and Gabriel Barkate.

Jean Vosburg, president of Y. W. C. A., called Jimmie Slawson, Julia Collier, Joy Linzay, Lottie Tarver and Dorothy Walker.

From Y. M. C. A. came Glynn Sparks and Alaric Smith, called by Scriven Pinckard, president of that organization.

The new commissioners were installed by the traditional passing of the lighted candles. They will serve during the next year by helping to welcome the new freshmen, by helping Purple Jackets to usher at programs, and by performing various tasks as representatives of the religious groups of the college.



Strange! But the Jap's the Prisoner

This fine, young American was formerly employed by the L & N at Louisville, Kentucky... volunteered in 1941... fought at Bataan... was captured by the Japanese.

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Physically confined? Yes! But his soul is free and his American Spirit soars back across the seas to his beloved homeland where...

men speak, live, plan, work, play and pray as they choose;

every person is master of his fate;

life and property are protected by law;

children laugh and grow up in freedom to reach high places in government or industry according to their merit.

Yes, the Jap's the real prisoner. He has never known the joys of individual freedom. His lot is to serve a master blindly. He has never known the glorious privilege of living under laws that he has had a part in making. He has never seen Free Men and Free Enterprise build a wonderful country like America where the comforts of the ordinary man are beyond his fondest dreams.

Ours is a great Country, made so under our form of government, by Free Men, by Free Enterprise. That's what we are fighting to preserve.

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Freshmen Investigate Assembly Attendance

Members of two freshman English classes at the college recently conducted a survey after an assembly sponsored by the Purple Jacket club, to gather some definite information concerning how many students do not attend college assemblies and why.

After consulting some 495 students, the surveyors tabulated the following information:

Were you at Tuesday's assembly? Yes, 309 (62.4 per cent). No, 186 (37.6 per cent)

If not, what were you doing?

1. Working at home, 31 (6.2 per cent)
2. Practice teaching, 19
3. Doing school work, 51 (10.3 per cent)
4. Ill, 10
5. Other (sleeping, etc.) 62, (12.5 per cent)

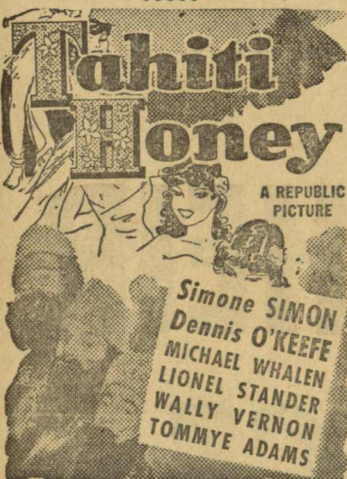
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SATURDAY — 9c and 22c

ROY ROGERS
SMILEY BURNETTE

in
"King of Cow Boys"
"Roy's Best Picture"

SUNDAY & MONDAY
9c and 28c



TUESDAY
9c and 22c

Anna May Wong
Harold Huber

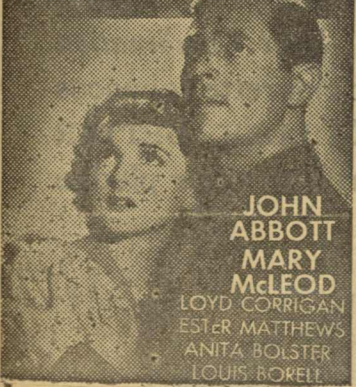
in

"Lady From Chungking"

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
BARGAIN DAY
9c and 17c

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FRIDAY — CASH NITE

DON BARRY
JEAN PARKER

in

"Traitor Within"

Where were you?

1. Dormitory, 94 (18.8 per cent)
2. Campus, 20
3. Off-campus, 20
4. Infirmary, 6
5. Other, 31.

War Bonds Sales At Book Store Top \$3000

Sales of war stamps and bonds at the college Book Store have reached a total of \$3018.70 total to date, it was announced here this week by Miss Pauline Johnson, Manager of the Book Store.

Of this sum, \$1875 in bonds have been sold recently. The remainder of the sum, \$1143.70, was collected through the sale of stamps.

Saucier Entertains Spanish Students

by GRACE KING

Miss Corinne Saucier held open house for all her Spanish students last Wednesday, May 5. One of the main attractions of the afternoon was Miss Saucier's collection of lace work, in which she has pieces from several foreign countries.

Also on display were numerous rugs, scarfs and pottery, which Miss Saucier brought back from her trip to Mexico. Outstanding in the course of refreshments was "guava jelly" made in Cuba. The entire atmosphere was quite Spanish and everybody present felt definitely in the mood for saying "Buenos dias" and "Hasta la vista."

WESLEY FOUNDATION

The officers of the Wesley Foundation for the new year were commissioned at a service held in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening, May 2. Scriven Pinckard, the newly elected president, presided at this service. The Scripture was read by Nadine Fargerson. The objectives of the Methodist Student Movement were presented by Rose Langenstein, Joyce Killgore and Ben Bradford. The student Affirmation of Faith was led by Scriven Pinckard and a period of meditation was conducted by Miss Mamie Chandler.

The Wesley Foundation council was commissioned by the pastor, Carl F. Lueg. As the names were called the officers stood before the Chancel. After receiving the Commission they knelt in silent prayer, after which Miss Chandler lighted their candles and they stood and joined in the singing of the chrous of "Lord, We Are Able." They then marched out to the strains of challenging music.

The officers who were commissioned are President, Scriven Pinckard; Vice President, Claire Russell; Secretary, Julia Pace; Treasurer, Clyde Bostick. Chairmen of Commissions are as follows: Worship, Rose Langenstein; Personnel, Joyce Killgore; World Friendship, Betty Rose Kinchen; Peace Education, Sue Bradley; Drama, Nadine Fargerson; Recreation, Lottie Tarver; Church Relations, Ben Bradford; Music, Mary Evelyn Durden; Literature and Training, Allie Lee Aycock; Public Relation, Lynn Steed.

ABSENTEE REPORT

Week April 26-May 1, 1943

119 students absent from classes—17.9 per cent of student body
35 men—27.3 per cent of men students
84 women—15.6 per cent of

FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE Spring Semester 1943

Monday, May 24

1:20- 3:20 1st Period Monday
3:20- 5:20 2nd Period Monday

Tuesday, May 25

8:00-10:00 3rd Period Monday
10:15-12:15 4th Period Monday
1:20- 3:20 5th Period Monday

Wednesday, May 26

8:00-10:00 6th Period Monday
10:15-12:15 1st Period Tuesday
1:20- 3:20 2nd Period Tuesday

Thursday, May 27

8:00-10:00 3rd Period Tuesday
10:15-12:15 4th Period Tuesday
1:20- 3:20 5th Period Tuesday

women students

35 Freshmen—18.1 per cent of Freshman class

32 Sophomores—25 per cent of Sophomore class

31 Juniors—22.1 per cent of Junior class

21 Seniors—11.1 per cent of Senior class

215 classes missed—2 per cent of total number of classes held
70 prearranged and justified—32.6 per cent

118 ill—54.9 per cent
16 not justified—7.4 per cent
9 errors—4.2 per cent
2 tardy—.9 per cent.

15 called in for conference
12 reported tardy

MRS. HUGH BLANCHARD CALLED BY DEATH

Rites Wednesday for Former Louisiana Normal Professor

Mrs. Annie Laurie Pujos Blanchard, wife of Colonel Hugh Blanchard of Camp Polk and former resident of New Orleans, died at 4 a. m. Tuesday at Touro Infirmary in New Orleans following an extended illness. She was 50 years old.

For eight years she was an assistant professor of English at the college.

She is survived by her husband and a stepson, Hugh Blanchard, Jr., who is in the United States Army Air Corps.

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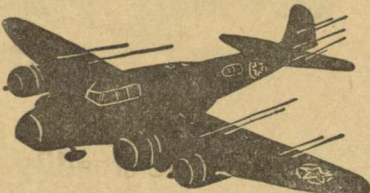
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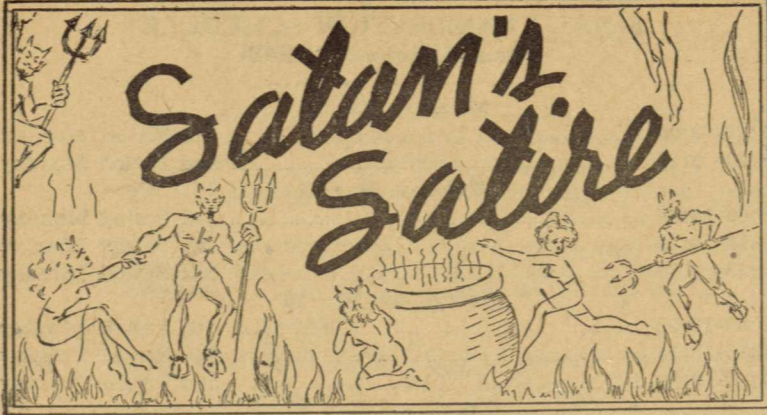
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Courreges
Shoe Store



They weren't foolin' when they elected Etoile Mobley "Queen of the Fleet" here last week. Those with better memories than hers will remember that she and Charles Richey, now a Coast Guardsman, were supposedly getting in step to the wedding march when Richey left. Now Etoile seems to be charting a course to follow that of one "Sam the Sailor", a student at the Naval school here. We're just wondering whether or not Richey should have planted a light house on Mobley's finger, just to keep their affair off the rocks while he's away. Tsk, tsk, girls!

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According to members of some battalion or other, they have been accorded anything but typical Southern hospitality since their recent arrival on the campus—at least so far as concerns residents of one on the women's dormitories.

It seems that while marching by this dorm one day, books in hand, these boys were showered from the windows above with bucketfuls of water, tossed by young ladies evidently laboring under the misconception that the fellows hadn't seen enough H₂O during their service in the navy.

These men came here, they said, directly from duty with the fleet, many of them from the South Pacific arena. They had been without glimpse of the fairer sex (they NOW question this term) for quite some time. And as for water—well, we should think they've had their share of that, and rumor has it that in some of those regions not only sea-foam but also shell-fire flies hot and heavy.

Moral: (Figure it out for yourself.)

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One of our wondering and wandering E.R.C.'s, John (Bully) Howell, pulled into town Thursday night, in response to a couple of pleading long-distance phone calls from Mary Kathryn Griffin. He came, alright, but only to find Mary K. confined to the college infirmary, under the watchful eye of Miss Bowers, with whom Griffin's pleadings didn't seem to carry so much weight. Friday saw Bully moping around the sick bay, trying to catch a fleeting glimpse now and then of his true love.

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Question of the week: Will some one of the informed please tell

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS (Continued from Page 1)

Library at 3 p.m. and an art exhibit in the Art Gallery of Fine Arts Building at 3:30 p.m.

The physical education department's program will begin at 2:00 p. m. in the women's gymnasium. First there is to be a dancing program, consisting of a square dance and two modern dances, a Russian folk dance and the typically negro "Jonah's Band." Modern dancers are Gloria Bayard, Nora Alice McCants, Frances Gibson, Julia Collier, Annie Sue Miller and Novice Frye. They will be accompanied in "Jonah's Band" by the choral reading group. The square dancers are Billy Brown, Francis Byers, Ed McDermott, Cotton Meagher, Betty Elder, Mavis Cade, Penny MacDonald and Katherine Nelken.

Following this, there will be a swimming exhibition at the college natatorium at 2:30. The first part is to be formation swimming by ten students: Barbara Hussey, Thetis Treadwell, Clair Madison, Juanita Bass, Annie Lee Colle, Bobby Doell, Billy Brown, Roland Hussey, Fay Perkins, and Frank Lampkin. Then Marian Chapman and Miss Palma Robinson will give an exhibition of surfboard stunts.

The senior day activities will be climaxed at a tea honoring the prep school graduates in the Home Economics Cottage on the campus at 3:45 p.m.

interested members of the uninformed something about the current status in the Don Fuellhart-Betty Coffman-Alden Vige triangle? There was a time when Betty and Vige were one of those campus twosomes whose devotion is unquestionable. There was another time when Greek god Fuellhart loomed into the picture, and again things seemed definite. There have been recent times when Coffman was seen with Vige, other times when she was noticed gazing attentively into the eyes of the blond Apollo. Time marches on—who knows?

THIRD "READING HOUR" AT COLLEGE LIBRARY MAY 21

The third "Reading Hour," a monthly feature sponsored by the Department of Languages, will be held at the library next Friday, May 21, at 5 p. m. At this time, Miss Nancy Sexton of the library department will read Mark Twain's "The Celebrated Jumping Frog of Calaveras County" and "Journalism in Tennessee" and Roark Bradford's "Crossing Jordan."

Winnfield Takes Class A, Coshatta B in Track Meet

The Winnfield high school Tigers, coached by Marvin Wyatt, graduate of the college, nosed out the Bolton Bears of Alexandria, 56 to 54, to cop the championship of class A; and the Coshatta Choctaws, coached by P. H. Breedlove, also a graduate of the college, led in a field of five teams to take first place in class B at the annual Northwest Louisiana Track and Field Meet held at the college here Saturday afternoon, under the auspices of the Health and Physical Education Department of Natchitoches High School.

The Natchitoches Red Devils trailed in third place in class A with 34 points. The Marthaville Mustangs took second in class B

with 51 points; Plain Dealing was third with 26½ points; Ajax was fourth with 12½ points; and East Point was first with 6 points.

With the mile relay race deciding the meet in class A, the Winnfield spikemen piled up seven first places, four seconds, and four thirds. The Bolton Bears, winners of second place in the relay event, made five firsts, eight seconds, and two thirds.

The Coshatta Choctaws led the field in class B by amassing 12 firsts and three seconds, the Marthaville thinclads taking three firsts, six second, and six thirds.

Only one record was broken in the meet here Saturday when Bozeman of Winnfield, who tied with Jackson of the Tigers for high point man of the meet in class A with 13 1-3 points, leaped 43 feet, 9 inches in the hop, step, and jump to top his own record of 42 feet, 8 inches made last year. Bozeman also took first in the broad jump and was a member of the winning relay team. Jackson of the Tigers took firsts in the century dash and in the 200-yard dash and was anchor man on the champion relay team.

Hog of Bolton was a close third in top class A athletes with 13 points made in firsts in the 120-yard high hurdles and the javelin and second in the shotput.

Jowers, star athlete of the class B Coshatta Choctaws, was high point man of the meet with 15 points made in firsts in the discus, javelin, and shotput.

Winners of first, second, and third places in both divisions of the meet were qualified for competition in the state meet. Members of the college faculty served as judges and timekeepers in the meet.

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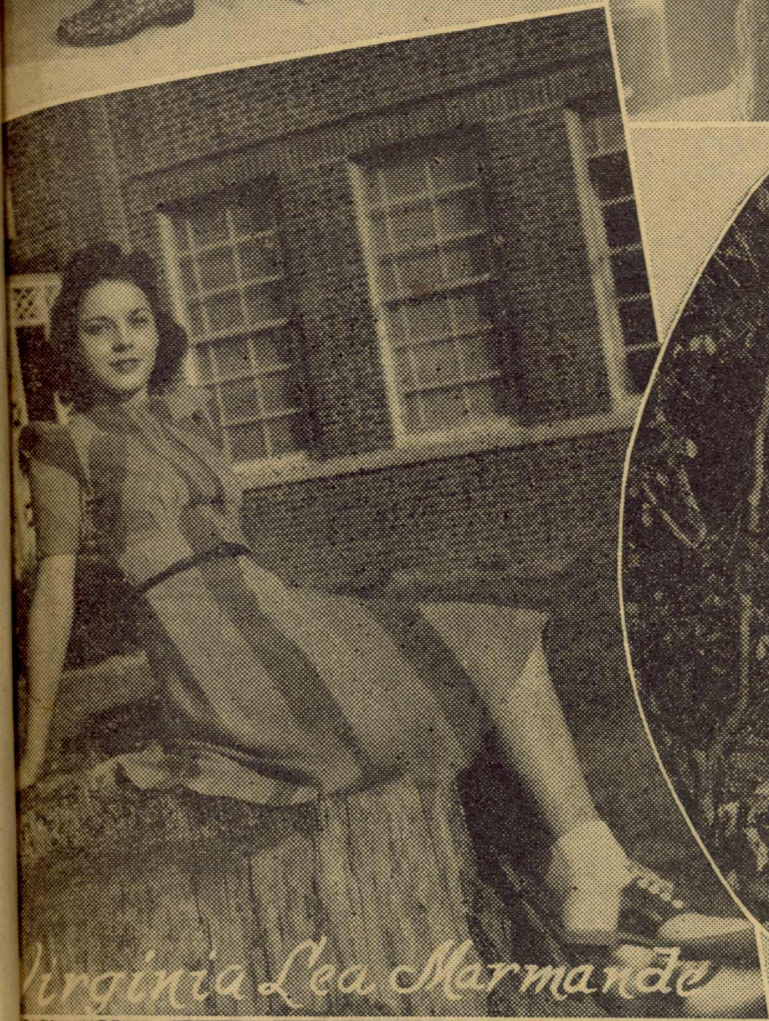
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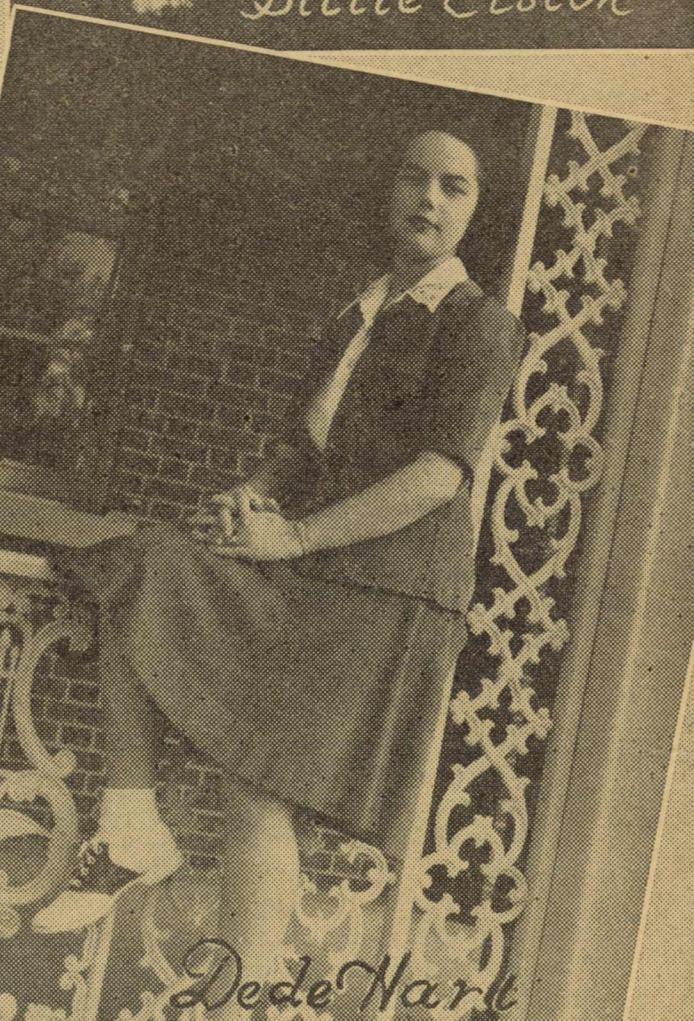
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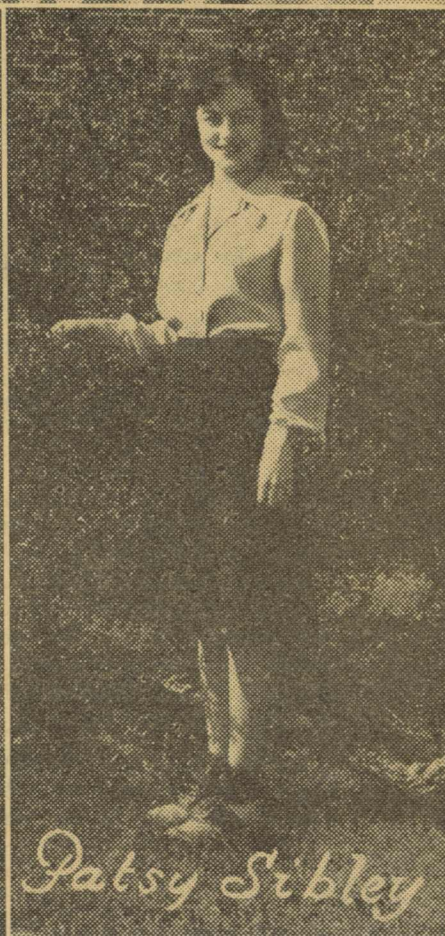
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An Explanation

An item appeared in the columns of this newspaper on May 9, concerning a supposed indignity suffered by members of the Fourth Battalion here on the campus, at the hands of a few college students. This report was printed at the request of one person, who professed to be the "mouthpiece of the battalion." It was handled by the editor, not merely as a favor to these men—not merely to chastise the college students—not merely to provide the editor with something to do.

It was hoped that our brief discussion of the misdemeanor should serve to reassure the sailors of the good-will of the majority of Normal students, as well as to remind the very few erring ones that their capriciousness was untimely and unappreciated.

The effort was a thankless one. The sailors concerned expressed dissatisfaction with the manner in which the affair was treated, and one of them suggested that he himself should editorialize about the topic in this issue of the Sauce. They seem to want revenge—not justice. We should like these men, as well as any other interested persons, to understand why this request was flatly refused.

In the first place, this paper virtually belongs to the students and faculty of the college. All students and most faculty members pay a fee each semester to support the Current Sauce. By this right, if by no other, this is THEIR newspaper.

The naval students are welcome to read the Current Sauce at every opportunity; they are invited to do so. And any interest evidenced by them is indeed appreciated. But it is not to be expected that these columns should concern themselves with the personal desires and petty feuds of our visitors.

We hope the entire matter will be readily understood and quickly forgotten.

French Club

by GRACE KING

The Varnado Hall kitchen and adjoining date-room was the scene of gay festivity recently, when the French club held a party from 7:00 until 8:00 p.m., Monday, May 10.

As the guests arrived, a few records were played; then came a long and complicated game—a sort of exercise in remembering French expressions. Since it seemed almost impossible to eliminate the contestants to one winner, prizes were given to three—Miss Florence Young, Herlena LeBlanc and Verdine Gremillion.

Refreshments were hamburgers, cokes and popcorn. (Note: Varnado kitchen saw an outstanding

demonstration of unusual skill at popping corn, a la Tommy Thompson.)

Those attending the party were: Miss Florence Young, French club sponsor, Clair Madison, Anna Belle Landry, Grace King, Verdi Gremillion, Annie DeLee, Herlena LeBlanc, Tommy Thompson, Colleen Woods, Bill McLoughlin, C. G. Snoddy, Mary Ellen Caldwell, Eloise Richmond, Doris Daniels, Dorothy Warren and Muriel Moncla.

Ensign G. H. Pierson, Jr. Promoted to Lieut. (j.g.)

Ensign G. H. Pierson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pierson of Natchitoches, now stationed in New Orleans, was promoted to Lieut. (j.g.) U. S. Naval Reserve on May 1.



"Steaks and coffee of the week" (who wants orchids these days—you can't eat them!) go to bright senior student, Carmen de la Barre, who somehow managed to pile up the highest scholastic average in this year's graduating class. La Barre's expressed ambition is to spend the remainder of her days "just fishing" in South Louisiana—a shameful waste of a darned good mind, maybe. But just think how brilliantly she can philosophize about the "ones that got away."

Such war-widows as Betty Reynolds, Em Willis, Joy Lea Davis, Mary K. Griffin, etc. have been receiving fast and furious communiques from erstwhile Normal E.R.C.'s (they're now PRIVATES). The gang is still at Camp Beauregard, it seems, having one more good time, in spite of ludicrous G.I. haircuts, ill-fitting uniforms, and, more recently, a measles quarantine.

Despite inconveniences brooked by rationing, the senior class was treated to a royal feast Wednesday afternoon at Normal Wells. Barbecued chicken and all the fixin's served to make the affair one for the books.

Congrats and sincere best wishes are in order for Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Meagher, who were married in Shreveport last week. Mrs. Meagher, nee Thetis Teradwell, is the striking blond freshie of "Southern Belle" fame, while hubby "Cotton" was an active campus politician and "N" club man, as well as prexy of Sigma Tau frat. "Cotton" is now in training at the Naval Physical Instruction program in Bainbridge Maryland.

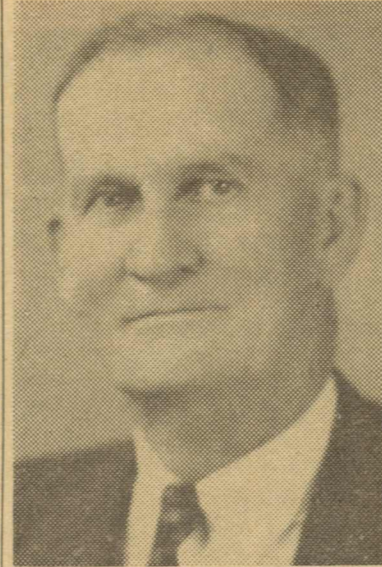
REGISTRATION

Registration for the summer session will be held on Monday, May 31, with class work beginning on Tuesday, June 1.

ARTICLES IN LOST AND FOUND DEPARTMENT

- 1 Prayer Beads
- 2 Pair of gloves
- 3 Coats
- 1 Ring
- 3 Coin Purses
- 2 Fountain Pens
- 1 Pencil
- 2 Bracelets
- 1 Tie Clasp
- 2 Keys
- 1 Knife
- 1 Tobacco Pouch
- 1 French Book

R. W. Winstead Retires June 1



Professor R. W. Winstead, member of the college faculty for the past thirty-five years, will retire from active service on June 1.

A native of Tennessee, Mr. Winstead first came to the college in September 1908. He will be honored at a farewell reception given by the faculty in Varnado Hall on Sunday, May 30, from five to six o'clock.

One of the few remaining professors who recall the various phases through which the Normal college has passed, as well as one responsible for the growth and improvement which the years have brought, Mr. Winstead will be greatly missed, and it is the hope of his many friends that although his years of teaching have terminated, he will be a frequent visitor to the campus.

Music Concert Here Tomorrow

An outstanding feature of the three-day program of graduation activities will be the concert presented by the college music department Sunday, May 23, at 3:00 p.m. in the Fine Arts auditorium. The concert is to include numbers by the women's glee club, under the direction of Walter Mason; the college band, under the baton of Gilbert T. Saetre; Bailey Winderweede, clarinet soloist; Jane Keith, soprano; a piano ensemble.

Tomorrow afternoon's program is as follows:

In Luxemborg Gardens—Manning My Johnny Was a Shoemaker —Taylor

Vespers—Leoni
Women's Glee Club
Andante—Jean Jean
Bailey Winderweede, clarinet

Song of Mary—Diack
Into the Night—Edwards
River, River—Page

Women's Glee Club
Stormellata Marinara—Cimara
Miranda—Hageman

Jane Keith, soprano
Doris Leone, piano
Hungarian Dance No. 3

—Brahms-Zilcher
Doris Leone, Doris Ford, Mary Evelyn Durden, Miriam Ewing,

Louise Hawkins, Mary Joy Angle
Torch of Liberty March—King
Guadalajara—Fulton

LOCAL JOURNALISTS ARE INDICTED IN EMBEZZLEMENT CASE

Four members of the Current Sauce staff were convicted here this week in a mass trial of enrollees of long-time service. Defendants in the case were Samuel Kendrick, of Natchitoches, who made an effort to evade prosecution by enlisting in the United States Army, Louise Hawkins, of West Monroe, Carmen de la Barre, of south Louisiana, and Edith Weber, of Delhi.

All of the convicted persons were charged with educational saturation and, after the sentence, which will be pronounced next week, will be ejected from Normal, living to pay with a life term (this penalty is inevitable) their debt to society.

These veterans have been suspected for some time of embezzling information, but it was not until Mr. Mitchell, Normal registrar, produced damning evidence that active legal procedure was taken. Mr. Mitchell's statement that the defendants took for private use more than 500 hours of curricular activity was entered in the case as Exhibit A.

Charges of monopolizing campus social life and dual office holding were brought against the four defendants, but the embezzlement charge entered by Mr. Mitchell took precedence. No action was taken on the other indictments.

Because the crimes committed by the aforesaid persons constitute treasonable acts, the property of the four has been confiscated for public use. The good conduct of the prisoners during trial, however, persuaded Judge Farrar, local justice, to allow the four to make pseudo-voluntary moves in bequeathing their property, personal and real, to the defendants' respective "public."

Charles Cunningham was appointed executor of the wills. Mr. Cunningham disclosed late last night that the four, though torn between rebellion and remorse during their last days at the local prison, had made known their desire to pool their moth-eaten potentialities and contribute them to this city's many charities.

By Edith Weber

Style Show This Afternoon

The Home Economics classes in sewing will exhibit some of the coats, suits, dresses, and evening dresses, made during the past year, at the "college at work" program at 2:45 in the auditorium.

Sixty coeds will model their work. Students from the chemistry and the dance classes will also demonstrate their work on the program.

Chinese Temple Garden—Ketelby
Steady Boys March—Thiele
United Nations Rhapsody

—Bennett
L.S.N.C. Band
I Hear America Singing (cantata)

—Gaul
Barbara Gillis, soprano soloist
Doris Leone, Louise Hawkins,

piano
Mary Joy Angle, organ
Star Spangled Banner

Three Day Graduation Program Begins Today

Senior Activities Start at Eleven

The college's three-day program of commencement activities will open this morning at 11:00 o'clock with the Senior Day exercises in the college auditorium. At this time, when seniors are formally invested with caps and gowns, all senior awards will be presented by Dr. Joe Farrar, president of the college.

Outstanding features of this morning's program will be the address by Mary Ellen Caldwell, faculty representative; presentation of the senior gift by G. F. Thomas; petition for admission to the Alumni Association, by Mary Jean Swift; vocal solo by Barbara Gillis; passing of the Cedar Rope, by Miriam Ewing and Marjorie Montegut; passing of cap and gown, by Toxy Bourn and Willard Hollenshead.

This afternoon will bring a series of activities picturing the "college at work." This program opens at 2:45 p.m., with the following exhibitions: Identification and Dyeing of Synthetic Fabrics, by the chemistry department; Style Show, by the home economics department; Modern Dance exhibition, by the women's physical education department. These activities will be staged in Fine Arts auditorium.

At 4:15 p.m. the health and physical education department will present an aquatic show in the college natatorium, while the men's physical education group is to sponsor a wartime physical fitness program at the college stadium at 5:00 o'clock. Immediately following this, at 5:30, the Navy Flight Preparatory school will present the Cadets on Parade, also at the college stadium.

The dramatic organizations' presentation of "The Taming of the Shrew" will wind up today's activities; this play is to be given in the outdoor theatre behind Caldwell hall at 8:00 p.m.

228 to Gradutae Here Monday

Two hundred and twenty-eight seniors, including 120 candidates for the A.B. degree and 108 candidates for the B. S. degree, will be graduated at the 1943 commencement exercises here on May 24, officials in the registrar's office announced this week.

Commencement exercises are to be held in the Fine Arts auditorium on Monday, May 24, at 10:30 a.m., and will include the following program:

Processional
Invocation—The Rev. Carl Lueg
Reading of the Honor Roll—Prof. H. L. Prather
Andantino grazioso—Gilbert T. Saetre
Commencement Address — Dr. Rufus C. Harris

Baccalaureate Program to Be Tomorrow

The baccalaureate services, as part of the college's fifty-ninth annual commencement activities, are to be held in the college Auditorium, Sunday, May 23, at 11:00 a. m. The program is as follows:

Processional
Invocation, Rev. Troy Wheeler
Brother James' Air—Women's Glee Club
Scripture Reading—Dr. C. E. Dugdale
How Lovely is Thy Dwelling Place—Women's Glee Club
Baccalaureate Sermon—Dr. J. Norris Palmer
Benediction
Choral Response: Choral Blessing—Women's Glee Club
Recessional.

This Day is Mine—Lillian Gerow McCook

Conferring of degrees—President Joe Farrar
Benediction
Recessional

The following is a list of the graduates of the summer term 1942, fall semester 1942, and spring semester 1943 according to curriculum:

A. B. DEGREE

Art: Mrs. Caldeonia Cooper Ducournau.

English: Elizabeth Bradford Bell, Elizabeth Lee Harless, Vera Jones, Mrs. Florence Buckelew Knapp, Mrs. Ruby Mae Pine Sanders, Mrs. Eleanor L. Crothers Smith, Virginia Catherine Toms.

French: May Eugenie Arcement, Carmen L. de le Barre, Herlena Mary LeBlanc, Marion O. Thiac.

Liberal Arts: Emmett E. Houeye, J. Wesley Jones, Sol B. Mayer, Henry Lee Prather, Jr., G. F. Thomas, Jr.

Library: Mae Catherine Bordelon, Dorothy Lillian Elston, Virginia K. Johnson, Louise Lucky, Geraldine Taylor.

Primary: Ada Martha Adams, Mrs. Shiela Caldwell Bramlett, Sarah Addie Butler, Margie Claire Cobb, Mary Elizabeth Davis, Geneva Beulah DeWolf, Mrs. Johnnie Gray Dubois, Elizabeth Dyer, Beth E. Funderburk, Mrs. Eunice B. McKaskle Gauthier, Audrey Trichel Gibson, Willie Bell Giddings, Helen Greening, Sarah Elizabeth Grigg, Beulah Mae Harper, Pearl Gertrude Herren, Ruth Evelyn Huguen, Amy Jane Johnson, Mrs. Larcy Talley Jones, Nell Virginia Kendrick, Letha Lois Lee, Virginia Beatrice McCrea, Gretchen McLean, Wyone M. Mace, Aline Moore, Mrs. Ethel Hodnett Palffy, Ethelyn Merle Rutledge, Evelyn Beryle Rutledge, Marjorie Scott, Germaine Cecilia Siemann, Nina Belle Small, Anita M. Smith, Mrs. Frances Wheeler, Taliaferro, Maybeth Thibodeaux, Geraldine Thompson, Margaret Thompson, Esta Mae Wade.

Social Studies: William Warren Allen, Shirley Mae Backes, Phoebe Elise Bowman, Mary Ellen Caldwell, Clarence Phillip Crump, Elizabeth Elston, LeRoi Eldridge Eversull, Madison L. Funderburk, Oliver Dennon Holmes, Jr., S.

Aubrey Kendrick, Russell Newton Neely, Vermelle Porter, Jas. Leo Shelton, Iona Ella Sutton, Nellie Murdock White.

Spanish: Wanda Lee Earnest.

Speech: Elizabeth Eleanor Bozeman, Billie Cloyce Cheves, Dorothy Annette Cleveland, Virginia Owens Kyzar, Helen Inez Riddle, Patricia Marion Sibley, Adelaide Conley Smith.

Upper Elementary: Mrs. Vivian Parker Alexander, Mrs. Johnnie Vee White Bennett, Mrs. Eugenia Crouzillac Bergeron, Mrs. Ella M. Turner Carroll, Gertie Curtis, Mrs. Linner Broadway Dale, Mrs. Katherine McKiethen Dexter, Vivian Marie Duplantis, Marguerite C. Dupuis, Dorothy Lee French, Dorothy Adeline Gamel, Mrs. Lorene Bullock Gormley, Kern George Gremillion, Charles T. Hall, Mrs. Marie Orr Handley, Beulah Estelle Hanson, Gladys Harper, Alma Lee Lufcy, Evangeline Mills Lynch, Earle Inez Montgomery, Carlos Allen Moreau, Mrs. Myrtle Gandy Patrick, Mrs. Grace Crawford Pernici, Albert Bernard Plauche, Stafford J. Rabalais, Alma Lea Ross, Lillian Elizabeth Ross, Mrs. Frances Florence Wood Kathleen Elizabeth Scott, Marilyn Virginia Simpson, Florence Mozelle Smith, Elma Lea Speight, Mrs. Thelma C. Wilson Stapler, Wilda Tucker, Mary Ella Viallon, Wilma Awleen Walters.

B.S. DEGREE

Agriculture: Johnnie P. Austin, Furman Dowden, Patrick Cary Nation, Martin Luther Wallace.

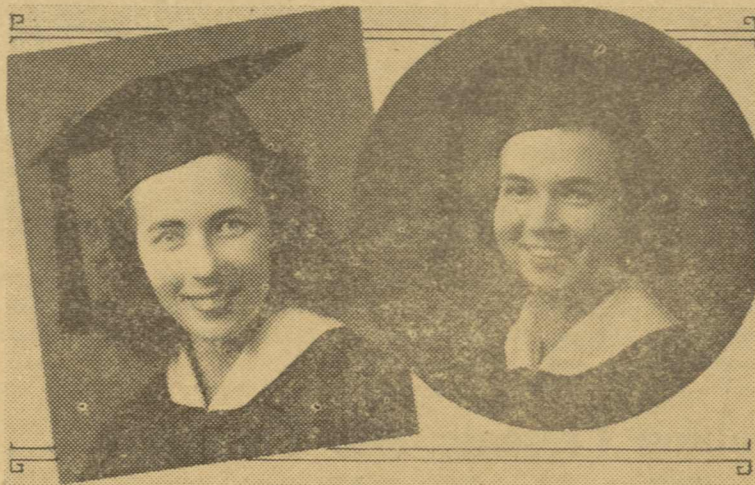
Business Administration: William Toxy Bourn, Delaney Kathryn Brown, Ruth Turner, Marjorie

Doris Wells.

Chemistry: Herschel R. Barton, Charles B. Durham, Jr., Gaston M. England, Max English, Dale Harlan, Colen Malcolm McSwain, Rupert Pullig, James St. Cyre Richard, Murray Rushing.

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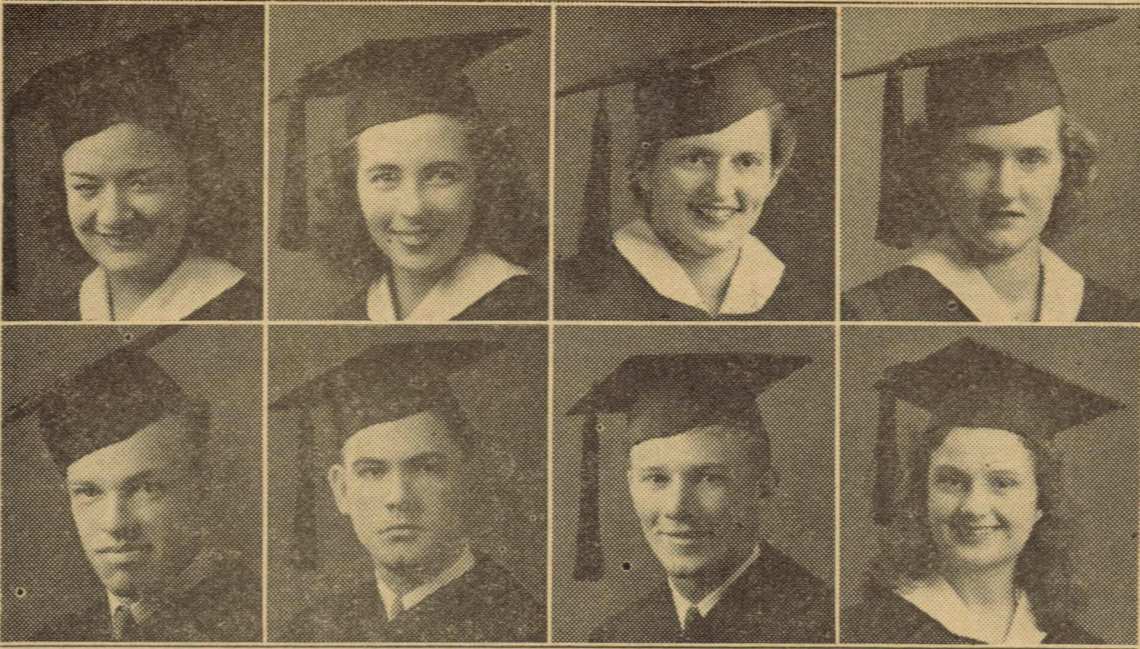
Miss Mary Ellen Caldwell, left, of Shreveport, a major in social studies, has been named faculty representative of the senior class of the college; and Miss Janet Shively of New Orleans, who is receiving her degree in health and physical education, has been selected to receive the Louisiana State University scholarship. Miss Caldwell will speak on "America's Post-War Obligations" at class day exercises in the college auditorium at 11 a. m., Saturday. Both honor graduates have been active in extra-curricular work during their four years here.

Will Confuse Officials Monday



For the first time in the 59 years' history of the college, three sets of twins will be awarded degrees at the annual graduation exercises Monday. The twins are, left to right: the Misses Geraldine and Margaret Thompson of Baton Rouge, Ethelyn and Evelyn Rutledge of Cheneyville, and Kathleen and Katharine Scott of Winnsboro. The Thompson and Rutledge twins are completing work in the primary curriculum, with Kathleen Scott graduating from the the upper elementary course and her sister, Kathrine, getting her degree in mathematics. All six plan to teach school at the opening of the fall session in September.

In Potpourri Hall of Fame



The 1943 Potpourri, which came off the press this week, features these eight seniors in its "Hall of Fame." Named by a special faculty committee, the senior leaders are, top, left to right: Marjorie Aaron, Mary Ellen Caldwell, Miriam Ewing, and Mary Kathryn Griffin. Below: Ed McDermott, George Parks, Theophile Scott, and Gwendolyn Sylvest.

Dobson Presents 1943 Potpourri At Thursday Assembly

The 1943 Potpourri arrived on the campus Wednesday, and were formally presented to the student body by E. P. Dobson, yearbook editor, at a college assembly in Fine Arts auditorium Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

Before the Potpourri presentation, C. M. McSwain, student body president, brought before the assembly three amendments to the present student body constitution, as it appears in the student handbook. These amendments were concerned with the student body elections, and all three were passed by the student assembly.

It was moved from the floor that the fee for The Current Sauce be raised from the present fifty cents to one dollar, effective in the fall. This motion was seconded, and after some discussion, it was passed.

To begin his presentation of the Potpourri, Dobson held a copy of the book before the assembly to display the cover. He then read the message from the members of the Potpourri staff to the students; next Dobson read the names of those students who were chosen to occupy the Senior Hall

Dedication to Service Men Popular

E. P. Dobson virtually brought down the house, at the student assembly Thursday morning, when he read the 1943 Potpourri dedication. In past years the yearbook has customarily been dedicated to some person or persons on the campus—persons whom, for various reasons, the staff deemed worthy of this honor.

Breaking from this tradition, the Potpourri staff this year chose to dedicate the 1943 book to all Normal men now in the armed services of their country. The dedicatory passage, as it appears in the yearbook, reads as follows: "To the many former Normal students who are now scattered throughout the world and actively engaged in the struggle of their country against the forces of evil, this 1943 Potpourri is dedicated."

of Fame. Then came the list of the ten Potpourri beauties, as ranked by A. Varga, of "Esquire" magazine. The assembly was adjourned after the reading of the Potpourri dedication, which was very well received by the audience.

35 Freshmen Chosen For Big Sisters

Mrs. Iona Berry, Dean of Women, announces that beginning with the fall semester 1943, each freshman girl enrolling at Louisiana State Normal College will find awaiting here when she arrives on the Campus a friendly "Big Sister."

This "Big Sister" will be one of 35 girls chosen from this year's freshman class on a basis of scholarship and leadership; she must have indicated by her department that she is discovering and establishing sound values.

The Purple Jacket Club, honorary women's organization on the campus, will act as sponsors of these 35 young women and will assist them in carrying out the role of friend and counselor to the new freshmen girls.

It is the plan that each member of the Purple Jacket Club will sponsor at least one "Big Sister" who in turn will assume responsibility for about five freshman girls.

The purpose of the "Big Sister" movement on the L.S.N.C. campus will be similar to its purpose on other campuses, to assist with the orientation of new students. These students will continue throughout the freshman year in their effort to aid the new student in making the wisest use of the opportunities which the college offers and to help her attain a mature and constructive point of view. The young women who have been recommended to Dean Berry and approved by her, and who

Beatrice S. Fletcher, Adeline Katherine Hyams, Charline Killgore, William Edwin McDermott, John Paul Meagher, Martha E. Murphy, John Sam Nicosia, Doye O'dessie Noble, Theophile Nelson Scott, Janet Bland Shively, Thos. Paul Southerland, Margaret Evelyn Swazey, Elizabeth Wardlow.

Physics: Alan Louis Bienvenu, Leland Louis Rhodes, Raymond William Rhodes.

NATIONAL AQUATIC SCHOOL TO OPEN HERE TUESDAY, MAY 25

Training men and women soon to enter the Armed Forces how to protect themselves in the water under all conditions will be the major theme of the National Aquatic School to be conducted by the American Red Cross on the campus from May 25 to June 4. A. B. Murphy, Eastern Area Director of First Aid, Water Safety and Accident Prevention has announced. This is the first of a score of Aquatic Schools which the Red Cross will sponsor throughout the country this summer.

"Right now," Mr. Murphy points out, "in this amphibious war when men are called upon to fight in tropical swamps, on the sea and in the air over the sea, only one American soldier in ten can swim well enough to keep afloat for the brief time necessary to rescue him even under ideal conditions."

"To overcome this situation as far as possible," Mr. Murphy continued, "the American Red Cross has developed a huge program now operating in many military establishments to teach fighting men the essentials of 'combat swimming.'" As a further precaution, these water safety techniques, especially adapted to the soldier's problem, are being taught on a rapidly expanding scale to thousands of boys of pre-induction age and to men and women who expect to enter the Armed Forces. This pre-induction program in "functional swimming"

as contrasted with recreational swimming, will receive the greater emphasis at the National Aquatic Schools this year.

As a result hundreds of men and women, who successfully complete the Aquatic School training this summer will qualify as instructors, and will then be equipped to develop and conduct "functional swimming" programs in their own Red Cross Chapter areas.

To combat Farm and Home accidents which this year accounted for more injuries than either auto traffic or expanded war industry, Accident Prevention courses will share the spotlight with Red Cross First Aid during the intensive ten-day Aquatic School training schedule.

Veteran water safety instructors, students, and First Aid and Accident Prevention enthusiasts from Chapters in several nearby states are expected to attend. At least four WAAC officers will participate in order that they may institute "functional swimming" courses at their posts upon their return.

Final plans for the courses will be completed at a meeting of the faculty on May 24. The school will formally open on Tuesday, May 25, and continue through June 4. In addition to stress on "functional swimming," accident prevention, and First Aid, there also will be courses in handling small craft and recreational swimming.

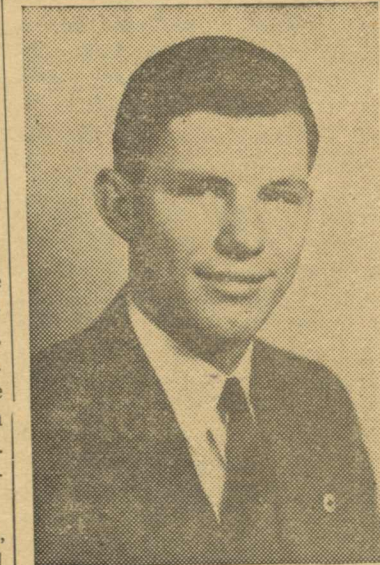
Oliver Allen, Eastern Area Assistant Director of First Aid, Water Safety and Accident Prevention is already in Natchitoches, as is Alva S. Huffman, Special Field Representative, who will remain in charge. Other members of the faculty include Richard Schmitz of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, First Aid; Charles Russell, of Fort Myers, Florida, Small Craft and canoeing; Don Northey, of New Orleans, Swimming; Dr. W. J. Fenton, physician; Miss Palma Robinson, Physical Education instructor at Louisiana State Normal College, water safety and recreational swimming, and Miss Killarney Dunn, New Orleans Chapter, swimming.

College Calendar

Saturday, May 22

College Stadium: Cadets on Parade, 5:30 p.m.

Outdoor Theater: "The Taming of the Shrew," 8:00 p.m.



OLIVER ALLEN



CHARLES W. RUSSELL

Graduates—

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Commerce: Mrs. Sadie Maggio Dark, Elizabeth Jane Davis, Wanda Alleyne Ferguson, Rosa Dee Lattier, Thelma A. Presley, Ruth A. Pullig, Bruce Leon Rascoe, Doyle William Smith, Waddy Land Thomley, Blanche Elaine Turly, J. E. Tullos.

Home Economics: Marjorie Elise Aaron, Verna Lou Barnes, Florence Blake, Juanita Helen Clay, Anne Lea Colle, Mary Florine Coursey, Marcia Wilma Culpepper, Leonie M. Darcantel, Katie Dickson, Mrs. Edith Leona Doerr, Frances McBride Drake, Stella Edgerton, Louise Edwards, Sadie Grezaffi, Evelyn Maxine Hall, Mrs. Ora Hammett Johnson, Thelma Kennedy, Anna Belle Landry, Florence K. McCrea, Vivian Mancuso, Elise Anne Mayeaux, Mercedes Mayeaux, Viola Marie Miley, Corinne Mondello, Margaret Irene

Myers, Virginia Palmer, Marie Anne Porche, Marguerite Naomi Prothro, Ruby Rawls, Esta Lee Smith, Glenn Claire Sorbet, Mary Jean Swift, Athalie Ward, Lina Mardis Warren, Joy Marguerite Williams, Mona Wright.

Mathematics: F. G. Fournet, Jr., William Howard Greene, Mary Ruth Hochenadel, Lillian May Kent, Phillip Loftin, Katherine Miriam Scott, Norma Worley.

Music: Patricia Faye Clyde, Russell Winifred Cronin, Jr., Joy Lea Davis, Crowell Carrier Eddy, Miriam Ewing, Mary Barbara Gillis, Elliott Ginsburg, Verdine Rita Gremillion, Mary Kathryn Griffin, Louise Hawkins, Ferne Elaine Killen, Etoile Mobley, Mary Ann Ogden, George Leon Parks, Jr., Mrs. Alys Tilbury Piland, Jett Harold Ricks, Dorothy Lee Roach, Era Lucille Tison.

Physical Education: Floyd Morris Carbo, Pauline Ann Evans,

'Taming of The Shrew' Here Tonight

"The Taming of the Shrew," a rollicking farce, and the most actable of all the plays by William Shakespeare, will be presented by the college this evening, May 22, at 8:00 o'clock, in the outdoor theatre. This production, a feature of the commencement activities, is being sponsored by Alpha Psi Omega, college dramatics fraternity, the Davis Players, and the Junior Dramatics club. It is being directed by Annetta L. Wood, of the college speech department, while Thera Stovall, also of the local speech department, is in charge of the costuming and is assisting with the production.

The eighth annual Shakespearean play to be presented by the college, "The Taming of the Shrew" should be enjoyed with reinforced interest for two very good reasons: the play's all woman cast is an unusual thing to be found in Shakespearean productions at co-educational institutions, and for the past two years there has been a lull in the production of classic drama in the outdoor theatre. Shakespeare by local talent will be relatively new to the student body.

The cast of Saturday's play reads as follows:

Baptista, a rich gentleman of Padua—Mary Ann Westall

Katharina (Geraldine Price); Bianca (Virginia Leete)—daughters of Baptista

Petruchio, a gentleman of Verona—Juanita Lee

Vincentio, an old gentleman of Pisa—Ruby Harris

Lucentio, a son to Vincentio—Ann Bush

Hortensio (Mary Frances Edgerton); Gremio (Lynn Steed)—suitors to Bianca

A wealthy widow—Shirley Dobson

Franio (Ruth Harrison); Bian-dello (Maxine Bell)—servants to Lucentio

Grumio (Joyce Kilgore); Curtis (Midge Whatley); Nathaniel (Kathryn Nelken); Gregory (Emma Lee Archer); Adam (Lottie Tarver); Peter (Annette Alderman); Sugarsop (Carolyn Russell)—servants to Petruchio

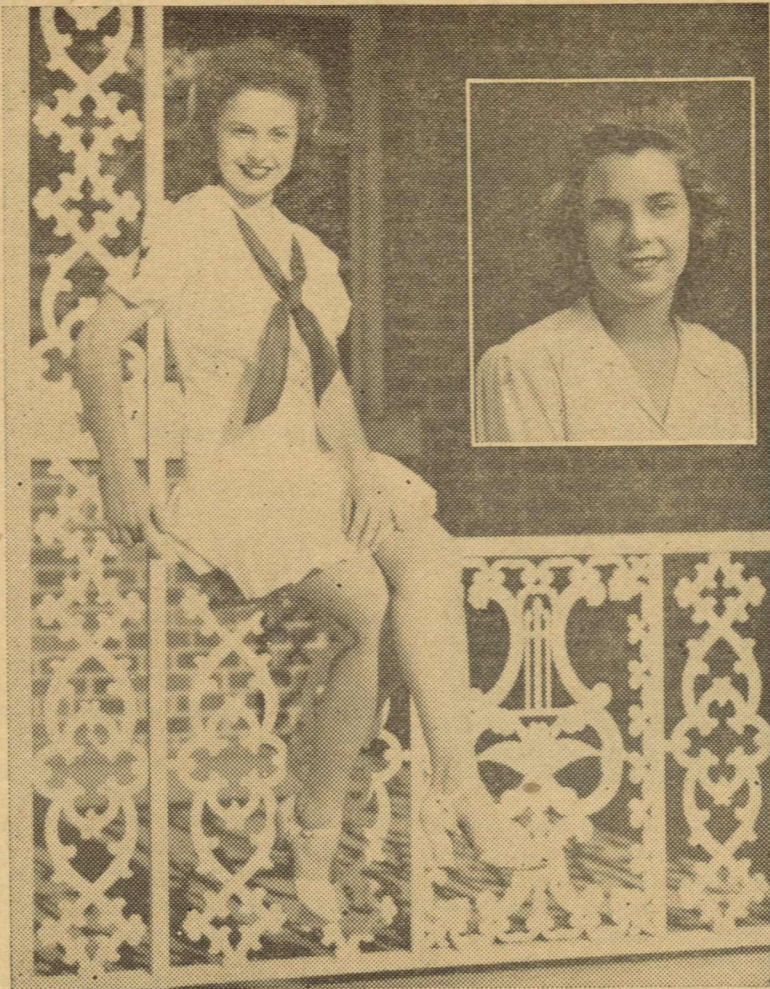
Music for the performance is under the direction of Gilbert T. Saetre, of the college music department, while Helen Johniken is to sing the vocal solos.

HERLENA LEBLANC JOINS WAVES

Herlena LeBlanc, senior language major from Innis, has been accepted for training in the WAVES, women's auxiliary service of the U. S. Navy. She is to report for duty at Hunter College, in New York City, on May 30.

Miss LeBlanc is a candidate for the A.B. degree here this spring. She has served as vice-president of the Spanish club, as well as being a member of the French club.

Neat Pin-up Girls Are...



... Etoile Mobley of Robeline, senior, who was elected "Queen of the Fleet" and Nancy Ann Lynn, (inset) chairman of the freshman class committee, who was named "Sweetheart of the Fleet" because her class led in bond sales at the college during the recent War Loan Drive. More than \$6,000 or enough to outfit 67 sailors was raised among the Normal students and the cadets at the Navy Flight Preparatory School at the college. Mrs Sam Levy, chairman of the Woman's War Savings Committee, sponsored the college drive; she was assisted by Miss Corinne Fournet.

Dugdale, Clapp Receive Honor

Biographies of Dr. Sarah Clapp and Dr. Clarence Dugdale, members of the college faculty, are featured in the current issue of the "Directory of American Scholars," which is now in the library on the campus. It is considered an outstanding accomplishment to have attained this place of honor among the leading scholars of America.

Each biographical outline in the publication furnishes a brief survey of the scholar's life—his birthplace, schooling, degrees and honors, past positions, membership in learned societies and subject of research.

Dr. Clapp is a member of the Modern Language association and of the Southeast Central Modern Language association, while Dr. Dugdale also is a member of the Modern Language association.

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HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR DAY VISITORS HEAR STATE BOARD MEMBER

"Upon you rests the responsibility of the kind of world our soldiers are fighting for and you cannot shift this responsibility," Mrs. Eleanore H. Meade of Gramercy, vice-president of the State Board of Education, told high school seniors attending the first annual high school Senior Day at the Normal here recently.

Mrs. Meade advised the high school seniors to consider social, economic, and political phases in the development of their personalities and pled with the prep school graduates to realize their "responsibility of self."

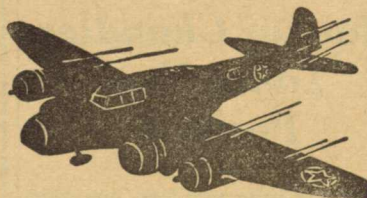
She was introduced by President Joe Farrar, who gave the address of welcome to the seniors at a special assembly attended by students and faculty of the college in the Normal Auditorium.

Music for the assembly program was furnished by the college concert band, directed by Gilbert T. Saetre, and by the Women's Glee club, under the direction of Walter Mason.

Charles J. Greene, Jr. Promoted To Lieut. (j.g.)

Charles J. Greene, Jr. has been promoted from Ensign to Lieut. (j.g.) U. S. Naval Reserve, according to recent news received by his grandmother, Mrs. Charles J. Greene of Natchitoches.

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Sidney Blackmer
in
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Speaking of diamonds, **Melba Jean Pope's** is as smart as they come, but was she in a quandary when she discovered he'd bought a wedding ring to compete the set!

An engagement that looks, for a change, more like the real thing is that of **Juanita Craig** to **Tommy Bambrick**. They've known each other for ages, and he's not a naval cadet. Unexciting, isn't it?

An amused "tsk, tsk" to any chump who believed the propaganda started by **Prof. Charles Cunnigham** to the effect that the yearbooks wouldn't arrive at all, because, he said, they were found to contain type lice—and had been held up at the state line in accordance with the Pure Food and Drug law.

Now that the Potpourri finally did get here, **E. P. Dobson** can devote even more of his time to domestic difficulties involving supposed steady, **Evelyn Horn**, and cute transfer (to Normal as well as to Dobson's heart) **Jean Coates**.

Charm bracelets, sloppy sweaters, saddle shoes and similar coed fads can but hold a flickering candle to the one that's sweeping the campus at present. Any gal wandering over these grounds with an empty third finger, left hand, just hasn't entered into the spirit of things—as yet, but don't worry; she'll probably get around to it. One student phrased it pretty aptly last week when she said, "He couldn't be serious; you've been dating him for two weeks, and he hasn't even offered you an engagement ring."

That **Moore-Carbo-Eylers** affair seems to be something of an isosceles triangle. At any rate, two of its sides must be pretty much equalized as far as concerns the affections of **Morris Carbo**. He and **Maxwyne Moore** swing along, arms linked, looking for all the world like a rehearsal for Wagner's ditty. Then **Dot Eylers**, last year's grad (and Carbo's last year's girl), comes down for a week-end. It's the same thing all over again, this time with Eylers taking the female lead and Moore watching from the sidelines.

Wesley Foundation Honors Senior Members Sunday

A picnic, honoring the senior members of the Wesley Foundation was given on Sunday evening from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock under the Big Tree in the Methodist Church yard.

The program for the evening was in charge of a special committee of the newly formed Wesley Foundation Council, Lottie Tarver, chairman, Joyce Kilgore, Sue Bradley, and Ben Bradford. Games and other forms of recreation were directed by Lottie Tarver. Refreshments of sandwiches, doughnuts and punch were served by Joyce Kilgore and Sue Bradley. Favors were presented to the seniors by Miss Mamiej Chandler.

After refreshments, Rose Langenstein, chairman of the Commission of Worship in the new Council, conducted Vespers, and led the group in the formation of the "Jacob's Ladder" Fellowship Circle. The Benediction of St. Catherine was pronounced by Miss Chandler.

This picnic and Vesper Hour closes the program of the Wesley Foundation for the spring semester. With the opening of the summer session, a Summer Council will be set up and a program planned to meet the needs of those who are in college during the summer.

Books An' Stuff

Books found on the new book shelf in the library:

Waitt. **Gas Warfare**. (The chemical weapon, its use, and protection against it.)

Wadden. **Aviation Mathematics**. (Based on a text used for training R.A.F. pilots.)

Duncan. **Essentials of Astronomy**. (A simple and basic book.)

Murphy. **Strategic Materials in Hemisphere Defense**. (The strength and weakness of the Americas.)

Mendershausen. **The Economics of War**. (A study of ways and means for a post-war rearrangement of our economic life.)

Peabody. **How to Speak Effectively**. (What to say and how to say it.)

Davis. **Soviet Asia**. (From Bering Strait to the Urals.)

Ray. **Doctors of the Mind**. (The story of psychiatry.)

Fleming. **Colonel Effingham's Raid**. (A satire on city politics.)

The Student Class at the Methodist Church will meet from 9:45 to 10:30 on Sunday morning. This change is made in accordance with the program for Commencement. All students and members of the Pre-Flight School are invited to attend this Student Class.

Beloved Member Of College Staff Retires Last Week



Mrs. Ethel L. Hereford, above, member of the administrative staff at the college for the last 20 years, retired from active duties here last week. Coming to Normal in 1923, Mrs. Hereford served at various periods as dean of women, director of social activities, and dean of off-campus women. Beloved alike by faculty and students of the college and citizens of Natchitoches, Mrs. Hereford is the only member of the faculty or administrative staff at the college to have three issues of the Potpourri, college annual, dedicated in her honor. Originally from Baton Rouge and Lake Charles, Mrs. Hereford will make her home in Memphis, Tenn.

Mamiej Chandler Takes New Position

"For everything you lose, you gain something;
For everything you gain, you lose something."—Emerson

Many of the students on the campus here shall soon truly experience the real meaning of this simple paradox. Miss Mamiej Chandler, director and counselor for the Wesley Foundation, has recently received her appointment for next fall to the campus of North Carolina East State Teachers' college, located at Greenville, North Carolina. She will serve in a capacity similar to her work at Normal.

Before going to her new appointment, Miss Chandler will do graduate study this summer at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois. Her study will be in the field of student religious work and will further prepare her to meet new situations created on college campuses by the present war emergency.

Since the fall of 1939, when Miss Chandler first came to Normal campus, students have enjoyed and appreciated her truly South Carolinian hospitality, her strong, black coffee and her interesting, stimulating and challenging conversation. Through her guidance and counseling many students have reached a well-balanced maturity in the religious

College To Offer Pre-Flight Aeronautics In Summer

Session to Open May 31

Keeping pace with wartime demands, the college will offer during its 12 weeks' summer session opening on May 31 a course in pre-flight aeronautics for high school teachers, officials of the college announced this week.

Lyceum Music For Next Year Is Announced

The three Lyceum Committee music programs scheduled annually in co-operation with the Natchitoches Co-operative Concerts Association have been selected, according to Dr. J. S. Kyser, chairman.

The three are "The Nine O'Clock Opera," a presentation in modern dress of Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro;" the Bary Ensemble, piano, flute, violin, and cello; and Sanroma, the gifted and rising Brazilian pianist.

and intellectual areas of life; in fact, in all areas of living.

Tennyson once wrote, "I am a part of all that I have met." It may certainly be said that the many students who have known Miss Chandler will even more clearly recognize the realness of Tennyson's words.

Eligible students in the course to be presented at the college by authority of the civil aeronautics administration of the department of commerce will include both men and women who are teaching or who certify in good faith that they intend to teach pre-flight aeronautics in a secondary school or college not later than the beginning of the school year in September.

Sixty-four hours in length, the course will include classes in scope and purposes of aviation education, 2 hours; general servicing and operation of aircraft, 20 hours; meteorology, 18 hours; navigation, 15 hours; civil air regulations, 7 hours; and the place of pre-flight aeronautics in the secondary school curriculum, 2 hours.

All tuition fees for the course will be paid by the Federal government, it was announced this week by Prof. L. H. Dyson, head of the department of education and director of teacher training, who has been named chairman of the course.

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SUMMER GRADUATION SET FOR AUG. 17

Women's Chorus In Concert Aug. 5

The Women's Chorus of the college presented its first concert of the summer session at 8 p.m., Thursday, August 5, in the Little Theatre of the Fine Arts Building, under the direction of Mrs. Lillian Gerow McCook.

The program follows:
"O Can Ye Sew Cushions"—Bantock
(Old Scottish Cradle Song)
"Beauteous Morn"—Edward German
(Words by Oliver Wendell Holmes)
The Chorus
"Children's Prayer"—Humperdinck
(Duet from "Hansel and Gretel")
Flo Mederith Scarborough, soprano
Edith Kuhn, contralto
"My Days Have Been So Wondrous Free (1759)"—Hopkinson
"Song of Louisiana"—Vashti Stopher
"Look Off, Dear Love"—Gladys Petit Bumstead
The Chorus
INTERMISSION
"Tarantella"—Liszt
Mildred Courtney, pianist
"The Big Brown Bear"—Manazuca
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Fall Term Will Open September 10

The fall semester will open on Friday, September 10, with registration extending through September 10 and 11, officials have announced. Regular class room work for the fall session will begin on Monday, September 13.

With one of the freshman halls for women already filled and reservations for another coming in daily, indications point toward a good enrollment for the fall semester, it was pointed out by officials of the college this week.

Mrs. Iona Berry announced this week that juniors and seniors should get their reservations for rooms filed at an early date so that officials may know how much further space to prepare for the new session.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

Saturday, August 7

Student Center: Informal Dance, Swing Queens playing, 8:00-11:00.

Sunday, August 8

Varnado Drawing Room: Coffee for junior residents in Varnado Hall, 9:00-10:30.

Monday, August 9

Miss Saucier's home: Watermelon party for Spanish students.

Tuesday, August 10

Miss Saucier's home: Watermelon party for French students.

Wednesday, August 11

Student Center: Informal Dance, Swing Queens playing, 6:30-7:45

Thursday, August 12

Fine Arts Plaza: Band and Glee Club Concert, 6:45-7:45.

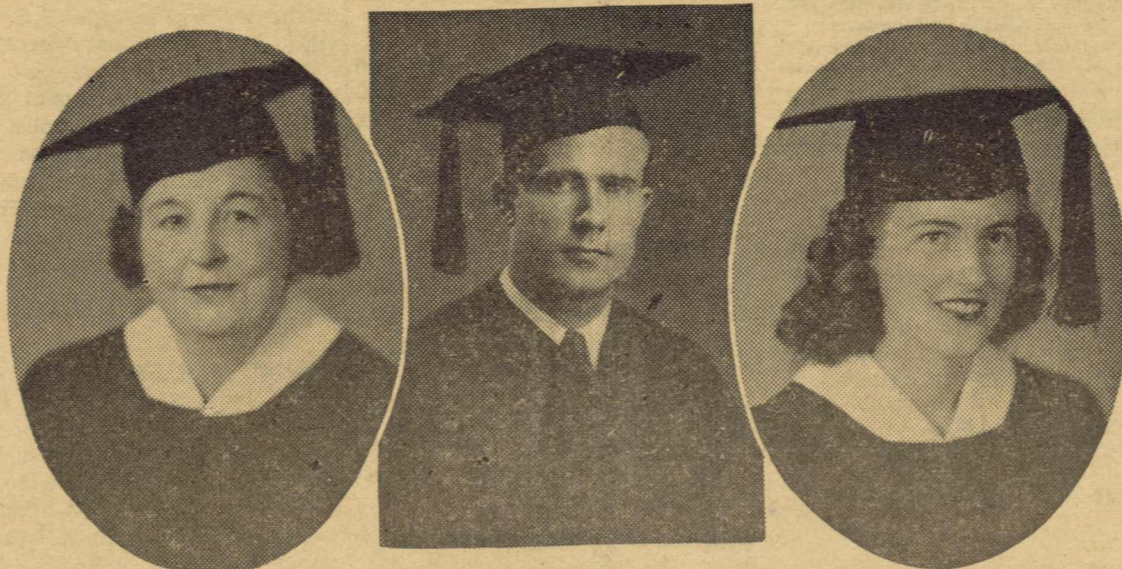
Saturday, August 14

Episcopal Room in Religious Center: Watermelon and bingo party, 7:00-10:30.

Tuesday, August 17

Fine Arts Auditorium: Graduation exercises, 8:00 p. m.

Summer-Class Leaders at College



These three leading students have been named to head the summer term senior class. The new officers are, left to right: Mrs. Ernell Thigpen of Pelican, president; Albert Gerson of Monroe, vice-president; and Frances Barnes of Bossier City, secretary.

Kyser Picked To Attend Meet In Tennessee

The college has been distinctly honored by having a member of its faculty selected as one of four representatives of the State to attend a conference of Southern educational and technical leaders in Gatlinburg, Tennessee, this week.

Dr. John S. Kyser, Head of the Department of Social Studies at the college, has been invited to attend the conference, which will have as its main purpose the discussion of a program of Southern education for the post-war period. It is expected that a tentative program for the betterment of the economical life of the region will be formulated at the Tennessee meeting.

Dr. Kyser left last Saturday for the meeting. Dr. Kyser was invited to attend the meeting by Dr. Geo. F. Zook of Washington, D. C., President of the American Council on Education. Conference chairman will be Dr. W. C. Rainey, President of the University of Texas; and Dr. Howard W. Odum, prominent writer on Southern problems of the University of North Carolina, will be one of the main speakers at the conclave.

The chief contribution that has been made by Dr. Kyser on the theme of the conference is his doctor's dissertation on "The Evolution of Louisiana Parishes in Relation to Population Growth and Movements," which was designed to show possible economics in government through consolidation of minor political units. Previously, this topic has been indicated as one having an interest beyond the boundaries of Louisiana.

RESERVE ROOMS IMMEDIATELY!

Dean Iona Berry urges that girls reserve their rooms for the fall semester as soon as possible. According to a new ruling, a deposit of five dollars, to be counted later on room and board bill, must be made in order to secure a reservation.

Mitchell Announces Examination Schedule for Summer Term Grades Due August 23

College Gobbles Melon Tuesday

Faculty and students enjoyed a watermelon party in the Outdoor Theatre at 7:30, Tuesday evening.

As the guests arrived, everybody joined in the singing of the "Alma Mater," "Smile," "Bicycle Built for Two," and other songs, led by Mr. Gilbert Saetre.

Mrs. Ernell Thigpen, president of the summer senior class, spoke a few words of greeting to the group and extended best wishes especially to those who are graduating.

President Joe Farrar welcomed the guests and, following the axiom of giving credit where credit is due, cited Dean Iona Berry as originator of the idea for a watermelon party. Dr. Farrar predicted that the watermelons would be pleasing to the taste because they are good in the first place and also because they are among the dearer items of food this season.

And they were good, although Dr. Farrar might have added still another reason: They were served by eight members of the faculty, chosen by the group as the four most handsome and the four ugliest men on the staff.

The summer term's examination schedule, setting August 19-20 as the days for the tests, has just been issued by Mr. W. S. Mitchell, Registrar.

The schedule is as follows:

Thursday, August 19

8:00-10:00 1st Period
10:15-12:15 2nd "
2:00- 4:00 3rd "

Friday, August 20

8:00-10:00 4th "
10:15-12:15 5th "

Duplicate and original grade slips are to be arranged alphabetically (not by separate classes). Both sets of grades will be due in the Registrar's Office by 10 o'clock Monday morning, August 23.

Senior grades will be due by noon Saturday, August 14.

Kappa Delta Pi Bids Five; Initiation Friday, August 6

Kappa Delta Pi, honorary educational fraternity, has recently issued bids to Mary Evelyn Darden, Monroe; Ruth Sisk, Winnaboro; Grace Holland, DeRidder; Mary Ann Strickland, Mansfield; and Grace King, West Monroe.

Initiation was held on Friday, August 6, in the "Y" House.

Playing Post Office Pays Pee Wee

One morning Annette Alderman mailed some letters for some Navy boys, since they can not go to the post office during the first period. The next morning the same thing happened. And again and again!

Soon Pee Wee became regular postman for the Fifth Battalion. "I didn't mind," she explains. "I always go to the post office the first period, anyway."

Then one morning Pee Wee was standing outside "C" dormitory. Up walked the group Commander and said, "Come over here with

me, please." Pee Wee declares that she thought it was court-martial, but she went.

As the two approached the barracks, the whole battalion marched up and formed a square around Pee Wee and the leader. A marine walked up, made a nice little speech (which Pee Wee was too excited to take in), and handed her a small box. In the box was a beautiful watch, in token of the service Pee Wee had rendered in getting the mail every morning.

That was August 3. But the thrill of the moment is revived whenever Pee Wee relates it. To sum the incident up in her words, the gesture was "just wonderful!"

President Farrar to Deliver Address, Award Certificates

Final plans are being made this week for the annual summer term graduation exercises at the college at 8 p. m. on Tuesday, August 17, Professor J. W. Webb, chairman of commencement programs at the college, announced this week.

The exercises will be presided over by President Joe Farrar, who will also give the graduation address to the seniors and award the certificates. The Reverend Leon Aycock, assistant pastor of the Church of Immaculate Conception, will give both the invocation and the benediction at the exercises.

Professor F. G. Fournet, Head of the Department of Science at the college, will read the honor roll of graduates. Miss Lillian Bell of Natchitoches will give the petition for admission into the Alumni Association, and Professor Leroy S. Miller, Secretary of the Association, will give the address of acceptance.

Music for the exercises will be furnished by Professor Lorane Brittain, Acting Head of the Department of Music; and Mrs. Lillian Gerow McCook, member of the music faculty.

List Candidates For Graduation

The following are candidates for degrees at Normal this summer:

A. B. Degree

Maud A. Anderson, Elton, primary; Frances Barnes, Bossier City, library; Dorothy Ruth Bell, Dry Prong, Spanish; Lillian Bell, Natchitoches, speech; Maxine Bell, Natchitoches, speech; Gloria Joy Bernard, Franklin, upper elementary; Mrs. Corinne Harper, Cheneyville, primary; Mrs. Mary Humble Burleigh, Tallulah, English; Zula Olga Burnette, Sikes, English; Mrs. Ovelia A. Carlisle, East Point, library; Mrs. Lillian
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Doris Leone With All-Girl Band

Doris Leone resigned from the college in July to join D'Artega's all-girl orchestra, which may be identified with "In the Blue of Evening." The girls in this orchestra are touring the country and are doing a fine job of entertaining the boys in the armed services. They appeared once at Camp Polk.

During the last two years Doris was pianist and vocalist in the Swing Kings, and even wrote one musical composition. She was a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority.

Everyone has missed Doris on the musical programs since her resignation. Here's wishing her the height of success in her new position.

INFORMAL DANCE IN R. O.

An informal dance is scheduled for tonight, August 7, from 8:00 to 11:00 in the Student Center. The Swing Queens will play.

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Let's Scuttle The Scuttlebutt

Did someone say that the Navy is going to take the college over completely? And did somebody else say that additional navy units are to arrive on Normal campus? Well, forget these rumors and quit worrying about having to leave Normal. Dr. Farrar stated this week that these reports, which seem to have made their way around the campus lately, are positively without basis. Normal already has the full number of Navy students that are going to come here, and the college is not going to close to regular students.

Combatting harmful rumors has been one of the hardest tasks of our country in this war. It is not a question of suppression of freedom of speech, but rather a question of using good common sense in deciding when silence is safer. Many of the ridiculous stories that we "just hear" have no basis, and repetition almost always twists the already inaccurate facts into an even more impossible maze.

Nor does this national problem limit itself only to large places like Washington with its political turmoil, San Francisco with its danger of rumors that sink outgoing ships, or New York with its many elements of population. The propaganda monster can and does penetrate every corner of the land. The menace even appears on Normal campus. Its agents appear as the well-informed type who always know a piece of news before the next fellow. But the result is only worry and dissension among students. So let's pass the word **not** to pass the rumor.

Y.W.C.A. Holds Summer Retreat

Y. W. C. A. held its summer retreat at the "Y" House, Friday night, July 29, from 7:30 to 10:15 o'clock. Miss Leola Blair and Miss Minnie Lee Odom, faculty sponsors, and the members at large of the Normal Y. W. C. A. were present. Jean Vosburg, president of Y's Senior Cabinet, presided over the meeting.

Work of the past year and plans for the coming term were discussed. Last fall Y. W. C. A. initiated "Dean's Night," a program for women students in which college rules and customs were presented in the form of skits. Together with Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A. also started "play parties." The annual freshman tour of Natchitoches was held; and the regular fall and spring wardrobes were sent to Y's "little girl" at the Ruston Orphanage. Other activities included daily ten-minute Morning Watch programs and Sunday afternoon meetings.

Plans are under way to make Y. W. C. A. a friend and helper to incoming freshman girls this fall.

During intermission, the group enjoyed watermelons and Freshman Cabinet member Julia Col-

lier's pranks.

A second, unplanned, intermission occurred when the fire alarm sounded.

The session closed with an impressive candlelight service on the slope between the "Y" House and the Newman Club House.

During the summer Y. W. C. A. has kept only its Sunday afternoon programs. However, the "Y" House is being used as a surgical dressing room, open from 2:00 to 4:30, Monday through Friday. Numbers of teachers, students, and ladies from town have been rolling bandages during these warm afternoons.

The "Y" program for Sunday, August 8, will conclude the summer series. It is to be a "Summertime" program, featuring Belle Brown, who is to sing Charles Gershwin's "Summertime." All women students are cordially invited to attend.

WITH THE PRESBYTERIAN STUDENTS

Presbyterian students are really missing the Reverend and Mrs. Charles McLean, who have moved to Virginia, where Reverend McLean is serving as a Navy chaplain. However, the Presbyterian room in the Religious Center is open from two to five o'clock on

Monday and Friday afternoons. Students are invited to take advantage of the radio and latest books and magazines.

CANTERBURY CLUB

The Episcopal room in the Religious Center is open from 4:30 to 7:15, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings. Mr. Murray Eby, Episcopalian director for the summer, has announced.

Canterbury Club meets on Monday evening at 6:15.

A party, with watermelons and bingo, is scheduled for Episcopal students for Saturday, August 14, in the Episcopal room.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

The Wesley Foundation was fortunate in having five of its Council members in the summer session. These, with some former members of the Council, met and set up a program for the summer. Officers elected for the summer term were: president, Lyvonne German; vice-president, Mary Sylvest; secretary, Julia Pace; treasurer, Clyde Bostick. Chairman of Worship, Nadyne Fargerson; World Friendship, Mildred Humphries; Recreation, Lottie Tarver; Personnel, Mary Sylvest; Music, Mary Evelyn Durden.

The two student classes in the Church School were combined under the leadership of Miss Katherine Winters, who gave every Sunday morning interpretations of great Bible characters. Vespers conducted by the students were held every Sunday evening in the Church sanctuary, from 7:00 to 7:30 o'clock.

The Director of the Wesley Foundation, Miss Mamie Chandler, attended a special session for College and University Religious Leadership, offered by the Methodist Student Movement in co-operation with Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, Ill., June 14-July 16. One of the most important courses in this Special Session was a Seminar under the guidance of Dr. Thornton W. Merriam, Director of Religious Life, Northwestern University, on "Campus Problems of Religious Leadership During the War Emergency." Representatives of the National Intercollegiate Christian Council, National Commission on University Work of the Council of Church Boards of Education, and the War Emergency Council on Student Christian work were leaders in the seminar.

Upon her return Miss Chandler took over the leadership of the Student Class on Sunday mornings. The subject of the discussions is "The Meaning of Jesus for Youth of Today." The summer program of the Foundation will close with a social hour and Vesper Meditation on Sunday evening, August 15, to which all Methodist students in Normal and in the Pre-Flight School are invited.

Jane Davis on Methodist Youth Caravan

Jane Davis, president last year of the Wesley Foundation, who received her B. A. degree at Commencement in May, is spending the summer in the Methodist Youth Caravan. Jane went for special training to Lake Junaluska, North Carolina, and has been a member of a Caravan team in the state of Kentucky, where she is rendering service of a high order.

Betty Rose Kinchen, also a member of the Council, was recently elected secretary of the Louisiana Conference Methodist Youth Fellowship, and is now attending the Young People's Leadership Conference at the Meth-

odist Assembly, Mt. Sequoyah, Ark.

The Council is looking ahead to the fall session and is making plans for the Retreat for members of the Council, which will be held just prior to the opening of college in September.

Miss Mamie Chandler, who has been director of the Wesley Foundation for the past four years and who set up the program on Normal campus, will leave at the close of the summer session for Greenville, North Carolina, where she will be director of Methodist student work on the campus of Eastern Carolina Teachers College. A new Student Counselor has been appointed and will arrive September 1, to direct the Wesley Foundation at Normal.

B.S.U. Welcomes New Secretary

Is it possible that anyone does not know her? That is a foolish question to ask any well-informed person on this campus, because all of us know and love Miss Ardelle Hallock, Baptist Student Secretary. Miss Hallock comes to us from the Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas where she attended school for two years. She is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma in her home town, Norman, Oklahoma.

There are any number of reasons why you should know Miss Hallock. She has that kind of personality which makes a positive impression. That is, the moment she says "hello," you realize she has something worth knowing more about. You are not around her long until you realize what a well rounded personality she has.

Much more could be said about why we like her, but it can well be summed up by saying that she is "one of us." For what she stands as Student Secretary we respect and admire her; as a friend, we love her. If you have not met her, do it immediately—if not sooner! We promise that there is a lot in store for you.

May we say to you, Miss Hallock, that a host of friends extend to you their best wishes for your stay on our campus.

Concert—

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"The Alphabet"—Mazart
The Chorus
"God Touched the Rose"—Brown
Eula Mae Tessier, soprano
Julia Pace, violinist
"America"—Bloch
"Rio, Rio"—arr. Page
"America's Message"—Johnstone
The Chorus

The chorus is composed of thirty-six women students of the college:

Sopranos: Audrey Adcock, Belle Brown, Jacquelyn Cocke, Lorraine Colquitt, Mary Evelyn Durden, Thelma Houston, Mary LaFleur, Willa Vee Lovell, Dorothy Moses, Linda O'Bier, Julia Pace, Evelyn Plummer, Flo M. Scarborough, Annie Provenzano, Eula Mae Tessier.

Mezzo-sopranos: Mildred Courtney, Bertha Forrest, Barbara Graves, Edna Ruth Hearron, Vera Honeycutt, Edith Kuhn, Marion Lindsay, Rose Beth Little, Irma Mayeux, Betty Reynolds, Estelle Scherz, Ernel Thigpen, Louise Wardlow.

Contraltos: Gloria Bernard, Anita Burke, Doris Ford, Margaret Griffin, Jo Haworth, Melba Reeve, Myrtice Simpson, Laurie Stephens.

Accompanists are Mildred Courtney and Doris Ford. Ushers who served on the program were

Seniors—

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C. Crain, Marthaville, primary; Dottie Dee Dickerson, Winnfield, upper elementary; Bertha A. Forrest, Kentwood, upper elementary; Esther George, Lake Charles, upper elementary; Dolores Lyvonne German, Many, library; Madge Gibson, Jonesville, upper elementary; Mrs. Gladys Wilkinson Harper, Orange, Texas, primary; Violet Hays, Hornbeck, English; Mrs. Blanche Patton Hensley, Lisbon, primary; Marietta Herndon, Pleasant Hill, upper elementary; Clovis Holley, Castor, primary.

Emma Lee Holt, Sieper, English; Lola Jane Hughes, Hornbeck, primary; Polly V. Johnson, Coushatta, upper elementary; Will Harvey Laing, Mer Rouge, Social Studies; Mrs. Floy Gryder Land, Haynesville, primary; Marion Lindsay, Natchitoches, French; Mrs. Lyla Campbell McAllen, Fisher, upper elementary; Hazel Antoinette McDonald, Lisbon, primary; Louise McGarahan, Many, upper elementary; Marguerite Winnsboro, primary; Leah Jane Otberg, Crowley, primary; Cecile B. Otwell, Extension, primary.

Inez Gladys Paul, Buckeye, upper elementary; Lois Pharris, Robeline, upper elementary; Ladelle Riddle, Jonesboro, upper elementary; Mrs. Jewell McFerrin Sandlin, Pleasant Hill, primary; Amelle Louise Schepf, Madisonville, social studies; Mary Myrtice Simpson, Shreveport, upper elementary; Agnes M. Smith, Winnsboro, social studies; Maud Smith, Winnfield, upper elementary; Lucille Spurlock, Moreauville, library; Charles Stahls, Provençal, liberal arts; Marie Gwendolyn Sylvest, Dodson, social studies; Mrs. Ernel Mae Mims Thigpen, Pelican, primary; Dorothy Wall Tucker, Zachary, upper elementary; Beverly Glynn Whittington, Bossier City, primary; and Ruth Wood, Winnfield, upper elementary.

B. S. Degree

Willie Lois Antilley, Cloutierville, home economics; Louise Blackburn, Bogalusa, home economics; Mrs. Laurelis Nix Bordelon, Natchitoches, commerce; Julianne Devereux David, Natchitoches, commerce; Mary Catherine Frazier, Grayson, commerce; Albert W. Gerson, Monroe, agriculture; Mrs. Avice Jackson Graham, Ashland, home economics; Margaret Elizabeth Griffin, Oberlin, music; Edleen E. Gunn, Gilbert, music; Grace Holland, DeRidder, music; Sybil Jennings, Marthaville, home economics; Georgia Kemp, Amite, commerce; Georgia Mae Mayeaux, Cottonport, home economics.

Philippa Modica, Bossier City, commerce; Allene Moody, Minden, home economics; Jimmie Ruth Morphis, Good Pine, commerce; Lurline Pickett, Coushatta, mathematics; Willie Beatrice Pittman, Plain Dealing, home economics; Carolyn Elizabeth Powell, Pleasant Hill, home economics; Mary Joyce Rivet, Natchitoches, commerce; Clyde Avery Self, Leesville, commerce; Chester Murry Smith, DeRidder, agriculture; Sherman Carter Tatum, Converse, agriculture; Willie Edna Tarbutton, West Monroe, physical education; Mrs. Beulah Allison Thomas, Ida, mathematics.

SENIORS! LIBRARY NOTICE!

All seniors are requested to clear their library accounts before leaving the campus, and to turn in their borrowers' cards. The return of these cards is extremely important; the metal slugs on them are difficult to obtain.

Frankie Sexton, Johnnie Sprawls, Marguerite Perkins, and Maxine Frye.

Normal Band Gives Concerts On Thursdays

The Normal Band has been giving concerts at 6:45 on almost every Thursday evening this summer in the Fine Arts Plaza. Audiences have been large.

A typical program was the July 15 concert, planned around plenty of fun and popular themes:

"Alma Mater"; "Navy Songs" (Anchor's Aweigh), arr. Yoder; "American Patrol", Meacham; "Officer of the Day March", Hall; "Bayou Song", Kooyman; "Chimes of Love", Fillmore; "The Show Boy, March", Huff; "The Clinic March", Saetre; "Deep South Rhapsody", Isaac-Lillya; "Snow White Overture", arr. Leiden; "Afraid of Big, Bad Wolf", arr. Yoder; "Ferdinand the Bull", arr. Yoder; "Auld Lang Syne Fantasy", Melnik; "Amparita Roca. Paso Doble", Texidor.

The concerts are being held outdoors next to the Auditorium instead of on the lake front as originally planned because of the ease with which the instruments can be transferred inside if bad weather comes.

Mr. Gilbert Saetre is director of the band. Members are:

Adcock, Audrey, Coushatta; Archer, Emma, Ferriday; Aspden, Sue, Marionville; Bell, Joy, Campiti; Boone, Mildred, Homer; Clark, Penelope, New Orleans; Collier, Marjorie, Campti; Courtney, Carmen, Mansura; Courtney, Claire, Mansura; Courtney, Mildred, Mansura; Foster, Sally Jo, Texas; Gauthier, Herman, Shreveport; German, Lyvonne, Many; Gholson, Robert, Homer; Gore, Mariella, Plain Dealing; Graves, Barbara, Winnsboro; Gregg, Kathleen, Campti.

Hassell, Therrell, Winnsboro; Haworth, Jo, Alexandria; Hearron, Edna Ruth, Minden; Jackson, Edmond, Campti; King, Kathryn, Plain Dealing; Lamo, Ciro, DeRidder; Lyles, Bettye Jo, DeRidder; McKee, Albert Gordon, Natchitoches; Matthews, Lucille, Vidalia; Martin, Virginia, Tallulah; Mayeaux, Irma, Cottonport; Morgan, Virginia, Shreveport; Porter, Mrs. Mary Rita, Oak Park; Nichols, Ila, Boyce; Scarborough, Flo, Natchitoches; Scherz, Estelle, Keatchie; Taylor, Doris Lee, Shreveport; Ward, Willis Forrest, Natchitoches; and Wardlaw, Louise, Shreveport.

Mrs. Flora E. Bowers Retires as College Nurse

Mrs. Flora E. Bowers, graduate nurse, retired from active service at the college July 31, where she has been employed for the past 12 years as Infirmary Supervisor.

Mrs. Bowers first came here in 1915 and stayed until 1917, when she went to Vicksburg, Mississippi as Superintendent of Nurses. She returned to the college during 1931, and has been here until Saturday.

She is a member of the Episcopal Church and the Daughters of the American Revolution. She has one daughter, Mrs. Hugh Montgomery, of Tallulah, and one son William Bowers, who is in Government service.

Mrs. Bowers will visit a sister in Tennessee until early fall, when she will return to Louisiana to make her home with her daughter.

Mrs. Bowers was at all times ready to co-operate in every way



COACH ALVIN BROWN has left Normal to accept the position of supervisor of Health and Physical Education in the state. Mr. Brown came here in 1940, and has served as coach and as assistant professor in the Physical Education Department.

EDITH WEBER IS ASSISTANT MATRON OF EAST VARNADO

In addition to handing Varnado girls date cards over the "counter" (that's what the Navy boys call it) Edith Weber has the matron's room on the second floor, East Varnado, and serves as assistant matron of the dormitory, since Matron Elliot's duties keep her in the dean's old room on the first floor.

It's Edith who answers extension phone 69 (East) in such a soft, pleasant voice that the Navy boys sometimes forget whom they called and talk to the assistant matron instead. It's she who goes around to tuck all the "dignified seniors" in bed at eleven every night. Edith attended Normal from 1939 to 1941, Northeast Junior College from 1941 to 1942, and Normal again, 1942 to '43.

A major in speech, Edith plans to do work in radio dramatics. At both Normal and Northeast Center, she has participated in dramatics activities and in journalism. During this session Edith has found time amid her many and varied activities to appear in two Summer Theatre productions, and in the past year, she has contributed much to the *Current Sauce*.

Dr. Skipper Works on Biography of DeBow

Dr. Otis Skipper, of Normal's social studies department, is resting from teaching duties this summer to work on his forthcoming biography of J. B. D. DeBow, famous Louisiana publisher.

with the college. She was respected and admired by everyone who knew her, and will be missed by every person on the campus.

L.S.U. Scholarship Open to Seniors

An honorary graduate scholarship offered by the Louisiana State University is available to a student in the graduating class who has an average of B or more during his junior and senior years, and who shows promise of scholarship and ability. The stipend is \$270.00 for the academic year. The scholarship is to be used beginning with the fall semester, 1943.

Application should be made in writing to Dr. Sarah Clapp, stating the intended major subject, by today.

Summer Theatre Presents Comedies

The bill of the 1943 season of the Summer Theatre consisted of five comedies: "There'll Always Be Tomorrow," "On a Raft," "In a Garden," "Tea with a Wicked Lady," and "\$100,000 for a Wife." These plays were presented on Tuesday evening, July 13 through August 3, in the Little Theatre.

The final play, "\$100,000 for a Wife," was presented in radio version form, with sound effects, microphones, and incidental music made visible to the audience. The musical score was from George Gershwin's "An American in Paris."

Miss Thera Stovall is sponsor of Summer Theatre and director of plays. President of the group is Edith Weber; vice-president, Harvey Laing; secretary, Cecil Clark. Members are Jacob Lechner, Peggy Montegut, Willis Ward, Elmo Hill, Mary Sylvest, Marjorie Warner, Bill McLoughlin, Leah Otberg, Helen Riddle, Annie Provenzano, Dorothy Moses, Penny McDonald, Nadyne Fargerson, Harvey Laing, Edith Weber, and Cecil Clark.

Coffee Hour Last Sunday for Special Students and Seniors

The coffee hour held in Varnado Drawing Room at 9:00 o'clock on last Sunday morning, August 1, was a gracious gesture on the part of Dean Berry, Miss Debbie Pinkston, matron of West Varnado Hall, and Mrs. W. P. Elliot, matron of East Varnado. Guests were special students and seniors. Hot coffee and attractive sandwiches were served. Music and conversation added further to the enjoyment of the morning.

A similar coffee hour will be held for all other residents of Varnado Hall on this Sunday, August 8, from 9:00 to 10:30, in the Varnado Drawing Room.

Swing Queens Busy This Term

Swing Queens, Normal's all-girl orchestra, has been playing in the Student Center every Wednesday evening this summer.

Under the leadership of Mr. Gilbert Saetre and Edna Ruth Hearron, these girls organized during the fall semester, and gave performances throughout the spring semester, slipping right into place in the orchestra stand when the Swing Kings left for the armed forces.

Members are Barbara Graves, pianist; Mildred Courtney, drummer; Jo Haworth, Ila Nichols, Emma Lee Archer, and Edna Ruth Hearron, saxophonists; Virginia Martin and Penelope Clark, trumpeters; Lyvonne German and Carmen Courtney, trombonists.

These girls have practiced hard and are swinging right on up to the top. They are planning to continue the swell work and to add a vocalist in the fall term.

Navy To Elect Queen of Fleet

The Navy boys have begun their campaigns for election of a "Queen of the Fleet," who will be featured in connection with an article that is in preparation for publication in various papers and magazines dealing with life in U. S. N. Prep Flight schools.

The election will take place in the near future, and the girl selected will be photographed and featured in the article.



MISS HUTCHINSON

Weddings and Engagements

Dorothy Bell, senior, and Seaman Douglas Donaldson of the Navy school are to be married today.

Thetis Treadwell and John P. "Cotton" Meagher were married on July 3. At present they are at home in Bainbridge, Maryland, where "Cotton" is physical education instructor in the U. S. Navy.

The marriage of Evelyn Baird, former Normal student, and William D. Walker has been announced. They are residing in Bossier City, where Mr. Walker is employed by the Illinois Central Railroad.

On May 28 Peggy Farrar became the bride of Stephen Stamm, formerly of the Navy school here at Normal.

Doris Walker and Don Smith were married May 28 in Shreveport. Don is in marine training at S.L.I. Doris is attending Norton's Business School in Shreveport.

Juanita Craig and Tommy Bambrick have announced their marriage, which occurred in April. They are now making their home in Houston, Texas.

On July 24 Betty Reynolds of Lisbon and Navy Aviation Pilot Jack Simon were married. They are residing in Natchitoches at present.

Melba Jean Pope and Lieut. Dwight Morris were married in June. Melba Jean was among the beauties featured in Potpourri in 1943. Lieut. Morris is stationed at Barksdale Field.

Earline Cannon and Private George L. Parks, Jr., have announced their marriage, which took place in Gatesville, Texas, Saturday, July 31. Both are graduates of Normal.

The engagement of Myrtice Simpson, senior at Normal, and Warren Allen, a Normal graduate, has been announced. The marriage is to take place the day following graduation.

Luella Davis, junior student of the college, and Seaman Phillip Jones, local C.P.T. student, have announced their engagement and approaching marriage.

Edleen Gunn, who is to graduate from Normal this summer, and Stanley A. Marczak of the Navy school are to be married August 14.

Norma Worley, who graduated at the end of the semester, is to become the bride of Arch D. Gilchrist, of the Navy school, on August 21.

Home Economics Students Enjoy Picnic Last Week

The home economics students, sponsored by Mrs. Ruby S. Duncelman and Miss Minnie Lee Odom, enjoyed a picnic last Thursday on the campus golf course. Both upper and lower classmen worked together in making the picnic a success.

Mary Hutchinson Delights Crowd With "Portraits"

Mary Hutchinson, talented young American actress and Broadway star, presented her unique program "Dramatic Portraits" in the second lyceum number of the summer session here at 8 p. m., Monday, August 2, in Fine Arts Auditorium.

Rushing out on the stage as the maid in Sheridan's "The Rivals," Miss Hutchinson seemed actually to become the character that she was portraying. But just as her audience had her pigeon-holed as one type, she flitted into another role. She became in turn the amusing Mrs. Malaprop, the alluring Cleopatra, the impressive Joan of Arc, the impish Puck. The parts involved numerous changes of costume, which Miss Hutchinson effected behind a translucent screen on the stage. During "between scenes" she spoke narratives explaining the circumstances leading to the scene to follow.

Miss Hutchinson's program was something entirely different. Her artistry in characterization and her versatility and speed in changing from one role to another kept her audience in suspense and admiration.

With Normalites In the Services

Second Lieutenant Buford E. Mangum, of Castor, Louisiana, has been promoted to first lieutenant at Selman Field, Monroe, where he is a pilot at the Navigation Training School. He attended Castor high school and Normal.

Aviation Cadet Robert Lee Clark, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Clark, Many, Louisiana, was recently commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Army Air Forces at Turner Field, Albany, Georgia. Colonel John B. Patrick, Commanding Officer.

Promotion of Pfc. William M. Rigdon, formerly of Kisatchie, to the grade of corporal, has been announced by headquarters at Tinker Field, Okla. He is attached to an air base squadron at the model establishment of the Air Service Command for the maintenance and repair of aircraft and the training of air depot groups.

Corporal Rigdon is the son of Mrs. Lavana F. Robertson, Coushatta, La. He is a graduate of the college, where he was a member of Phi Kappa Nu, social fraternity. Prior to entering the Army he served as English teacher and basketball coach at the Kisatchie high school.

Mail Schedule Is Explained by P.M.

Mrs. C. W. Boydston, Postmaster at the college postoffice, this week explained the schedule of incoming and out-going mail for students' information.

Most of the mail comes in at 7:30 in the morning. Second class mail comes in at 12 o'clock noon. At 4:00 p. m., miscellaneous mail arrives.

Outgoing mail leaves the Normal post office at 4:00 p. m. Mail leaves the Natchitoches post office once a day, at 9:00 p. m.

Mrs. Boydston urges that students have their box numbers indicated on their mail.



Whoever thought of posting a list of married Navy men really had a brain storm. . . . Just ask the girls who had been dating some of them. Only it's too bad it wasn't done before.

The initials of today became more and more confusing. AMM 1-c used to mean "Aviation Mechanics Mate, First Class." Now it's "A Married Man, One Child."

The romance between Alaric Smith and Audrey Adcock was rather short-lived.

The Marines have landed and have the situation well in hand . . . that's why Betty Reynolds (the brunette one) sent Jack Thompson his Phi Mu Alpha pin.

Girls, if you're looking for some new clothes, see Elmo Hill . . . you know what I mean?

Little Agnes Smith had a visitor the other week-end . . . her mother-in-law to be. But that doesn't slow her speed!

Some of the girls around here have been doing all right with the Navy Air Corps . . . Edleen Gunn and Betty Reynolds (the blonde one) have sparklers. (Flash!!!! Betty has just announced her marriage!)

The Navy catches on quickly when it comes to some of Normal's traditions. Said a sailor to a girl:

"Say, are you going to call me up tonight?"
Says she, "And since when is this Sadie Hawkins' Day?"
He answers, "Why, I thought it began yesterday."

The Army and Navy seem to clash in these parts occasionally. Lyn Willow Slawson, for instance, has the pictures of the two opposing forces, one on the right and the other on the left side of her desk.

Colleen Woods, Judy Edwards, and Vera Honeycutt report back after peeks at boy friends Joe Pierson, Ralph Hudson, and Alden Vige, respectively, now in naval training at Louisiana Tech. Colleen says that she couldn't do anything but laugh after seeing Joe in a sailor suit. And Ralph Hudson's lanky arms and legs "dangled a mile out of the monkey suit." As for Vige, he just simply "looked good!"

Examples of faculty-student cooperation: Madge Gibson and William Smith; Esther George and Leland Megason.

Gwendolyn Sylvest certainly seems to have made a hit with some of the Navy boys. One ardent supporter of Gwen as Queen of the Fleet has begun a campaign with a note affixed to the official Navy notice of the election posted on the bulletin board in the Field House.

Backfire: After Dorothy Moses appeared as a married woman in two plays, a certain sailor came asking, "Say, are you married?"

Who was it that confused Joan of Arc, as portrayed by Mary Hutchinson in Monday's lyceum program, with "Joan of Ozarks?"

Does "Dog" Johnson get around! Well, you read this one and answer that for yourself. He played the field with Carmen (or was it Clair?) Courtney, Helen Mouton and "Rat" Tessier. Losing all of them to the Navy, he went out with "some Shreveport girls" last week-end. Now it's Margaret Neil.

What's happened? The affair between Sue Reynolds and Kerlin Sutton just isn't any more.

Come In on The Beam For Some Teeth-Chipping

Or How a Sailor Would Describe a Saturday Here

By LEAH OTBERG

Reveille sounds. Sea-going bell hops and swab jockeys and ca-doodlers hit the deck. If you don't shake a leg you'll be missing chow. So, hup-two-three-four for the mess-hall. And it's line to the port for the slop-slide. Pass the side-arms (cream and sugar), mate!
And then to classes. Hup-two-three-four! Square that hat, pelican (sailor)! And don't get the pack on those sticks (don't worry about those girls); there's the ole man (the captain.)
Come noon. 'Tis hot as crossing the line (equator). There's the trip

to the boxes; here's hoping for the sugar report (letter from the girl friend).
More classes. Don't go Asiatic (nuts) if it isn't 4-0 (best grade).
Evening. Convoy duty (date with a girl). Let's hit shore (go to town). It's field day (everything shipshape).
Or maybe you got too far from 4-0 and have to stay aboard. You might cut over to the wreck-house for a hop or two. And when you have to show up early at barracks, there's light in the fo'castle (empty upstairs). Aye, mate, it's a rugged life!

Popular Spot . . . The Library

Many New Books Added During Summer

The library has proved a very popular spot this summer. Whether this signifies an increase in intellectual pursuits or an irresistible desire to keep cool in an easy chair under a big fan is debatable. The reading room, browsing room, and reference room are filled every night with students, cadets, and sailors earnestly at work. Certain sections in the main reading room are reserved as a study hall for the Navy students.

The library added a new staff member this summer to replace Miss Cornelia Eastland, who joined the WACCs. Miss Winifred Standing, of Iowa, became the new reference librarian. Miss Nancy Sexton, former reference librarian, is now periodical librarian.

The only major change made in the library this summer was the restriction of the circulation of periodicals. This provision was made necessary because of the extreme difficulty in replacing lost or damaged copies. The last three issues of magazines that were previously kept on the racks in the periodical room are now kept in the main stacks and must be asked for at the desk. The space occupied by these issues has been utilized for book displays.

In the reserve room a "World News Map" is posted regularly. This map calls attention to the location of points of interest in the week's news and gives a brief sketch of each news item. This map supplements the pin map on which the daily happenings are posted.

Many new books have been purchased, with particular consideration being given books of timely interest. Subjects dealing with the army, navy, air corps, victory, peace, and world organization rank high in the list of new books. As the new books come, they are placed on the book shelf to the left of the main desk. These are some of the most recent:

Books An' Stuff

Pratt. **The Navy Has Wings.** (The role of aviation in the operations of the fleet.)

Roberts. **The U. S. Navy Fights.** ("Attack" is the Navy's unbroken fighting tradition.)

O'Gara. **Theodore Roosevelt and the Rise of the Modern Navy.** The American Navy at the great turning point in its history.)

Morison. **Admiral Sims and the Modern American Navy.** (He remembered Pearl Harbor before it happened.)

Perry. **Our Side Is Right.** (A dramatic statement as to why it makes sense for us to fight.)

Sterne. **We Live to Be Free.** (How did democracy come to be?)

Borkin. **Germany's Master Plan.** (The plan for world domination in industry.)

Ranshofen. **Victory Is not Enough.** (A challenge to current thinking about the post-war world.)

Angell. **Let the People Know.** (Plan answers to questions the average citizen is asking about the peace and the war.)

Strasser. **Flight from Terror.** (The gripping story of Hitler's number one civilian enemy.)

this, everyone returned with a sunburn. Nevertheless, when the day was over, no one was ready to come back.

Mrs. Joe Bath and Mrs. S. M. Hart were the chaperons.

Tri Sigma sorority will entertain its members and pledges with a luncheon in the private dining room of the student center today at 1:15 p. m.

H. L. Prather Is Co-ordinator of Navy Affairs, Dean of Men

Play Parties Have Been Popular Here

To Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. goes the credit for starting play parties on the campus. Last semester a need appeared for Saturday night entertainment on the campus besides dancing in the student center. Thus there arose the idea of "play parties" in the Women's Gym.

These play parties, held from 8:00 to 11:30 on Saturday nights, consist of square dancing, with a caller, a piano, and a "fiddle," in regular Western style; and various games — badminton, ping-pong, skating, shooting basketball goals, and darts. Refreshments are served. The college is the sponsor, and the various organizations on the campus have taken turns serving as "hosts."

Play parties have been a source of enjoyment to a great many students and Navy boys. Although college attendance has dropped this term, several of these parties have been held, especially on induction week-end, when Navy boys are restricted.

Public Invited To Art Exhibit

Annie Provenzano, major in art, cordially invites everyone interested in paintings to visit her exhibit in the Art Department, second floor of the Fine Arts Building.

Photographer Sets Photo Schedule

E. P. Dobson, campus photographer has announced that pictures of students who do not have them for the registrar's record will be made from 1:30-5:00, Monday and Tuesday, August 9 and 10, in the Potpourri Office. W. S. Mitchell, Registrar, states that grades will be withheld until these photographs are made.

The following students do not have pictures on their records:

Emma Lee Archer, Leateth Beckcom, Geraldine Beebe, Mrs. Myra Bice, Mrs. Jane Blake, Mrs. Clyde M. Bostick, Mrs. Ruth Brick, Lou Ella F. Brown, Mrs. J. E. Cooper, Mrs. Gertrude M. Corry, Jenny Lind Cox, Mary Alice Clements, Jean Coats, Susan Eatin, Mr. Joseph M. Eby, Iva Mae Fisher, Mary Bess Frey, James M. Frazier, Jr., Mrs. May Fuller.

Mrs. R. C. Gamble, Mrs. Ernestine Golson, Mrs. Edna Hamiter, Mrs. L. H. Hankins, Lola Hughes, Mrs. Ethel Creed Faircloth, Mrs. Lynn Parker Huff, John Edmund Jackson, Cary Johnson, Mary E. Lampman, Mrs. Constance M. Locke, Vera Long, Lilburne McCade, Olive McMichael, Willie Evelyn Moore, Sybil Ogden, Mrs. George Parks, Mrs. Bertha Powell, Betty Jean Powell.

Jeanette Rachel, Sue Reynolds, Flo Scarborough, Mary Poynter Schwing, Mrs. O. C. Skipper, Martha C. Smith, Miss Laurie Paul Stephens, Mrs. Doris Tipps, Maurine Vaughan, Mrs. Gordon Richardson, Mrs. Clara M. Walker, Mrs. T. P. Wilkinson, Mrs. Gladys Windham, Alene F. Zakarian, Bertha E. Forrest, Marguerite Mathes, Ruth Virginia Wood, and Annie May Nichols.

Mr. H. L. Prather has been appointed co-ordinator of all Naval activities on the campus and Dean of Men, by President Joe Farrar. All matters concerning the affairs of male students on and off the campus will from now on be referred to his office.

This appointment, effective since August 1, adds another duty to the posts which Mr. Prather has filled at Normal. Beginning his work here in September, 1913, Mr. Prather has been on the faculty longer than any other member except Mr. Fournet, who came in July, 1913, preceding him by three months. Mr. Prather has taught in the social studies department and has coached basketball for nearly thirty years, and has gained the highest esteem of his succeeding classes of students and of his fellow workers. He was also football coach for many years.

Lost and Found

The following articles are in the Lost and Found Department located in the President's Office:

- 4 pr. Gloves
- 2 Raincoats
- 1 Overcoat
- 1 Tobacco Pouch
- 3 Keys
- 4 Fountain Pens
- 1 Bracelet
- 1 Ring
- 2 Pencils
- 1 pr. Sun Glasses
- 2 Combs
- 1 Prayer Beads
- 1 Tie Clasp
- 1 Tie Clasp
- 2 Coin Purses